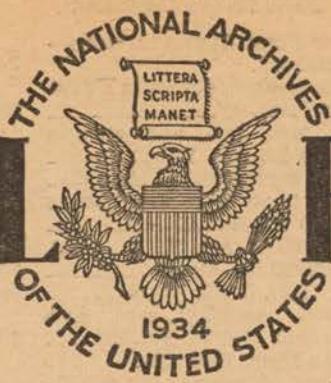


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### **TITLE 7—AGRICULTURE**

#### **Chapter VIII—War Food Administration (Sugar Regulations)**

##### **PART 802—SUGAR DETERMINATION**

###### **SUGARCANE IN PUERTO RICO**

Determination of sugar commercially recoverable from sugarcane in Puerto Rico for the 1943-44 crop year, pursuant to the Sugar Act of 1937, as amended.

Pursuant to the provisions of section 302 (a) of the Sugar Act of 1937, as amended, and Executive Order No. 9322, issued March 26, 1943, as amended by Executive Order No. 9334, issued April 19, 1943, the following determination is hereby issued:

§ 802.41f (a) *Sugar commercially recoverable from sugarcane in Puerto Rico.* The amount of sugar commercially recoverable from the sugarcane grown on a farm in Puerto Rico and marketed (or processed by the producer) for the extraction of sugar shall be obtained by multiplying the number of short tons of such sugarcane by the number of hundredweights of sugar raw value commercially recoverable per ton of such sugarcane computed in accordance with the applicable provisions of the determination of fair and reasonable prices for the 1943-44 crop of Puerto Rican sugarcane pursuant to the Sugar Act of 1937, as amended, and the quantity of 96° sugar thereby obtained shall be converted to raw value basis in accordance with the provisions of Title I of the Sugar Act of 1937, as amended.

(Sec. 302, 50 Stat. 910; 7 U.S.C., 1132; E.O. 9322, 8 F.R. 3807; E.O. 9334, 8 F.R. 5423)

Issued at Washington, D. C., this 11th day of April 1944.

ASHLEY SELLERS,  
Assistant War Food Administrator.

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### **Chapter X—War Food Administration (Production Orders)**

[FPO 14, Supp. Order 4, Rev. 2]

#### **PART 1202—FARM MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT**

##### **PRESSURE CANNERS**

Supplementary Order No. 4 (8 F.R. 17463) to Food Production Order No. 14 (8 F.R. 17456), is hereby revised and amended in its entirety to read as follows:

- Sec.
- 1202.401 Purpose of this supplementary order.
  - 1202.402 Scope.
  - 1202.403 Compliance with this supplementary order.
  - 1202.404 Transfer of pressure canners by manufacturers.
  - 1202.405 Transfers for use in canning food products in the continental United States.
  - 1202.406 Transfers for use other than in canning food products.
  - 1202.407 Transfers to a Federal agency.
  - 1202.408 Transfers to territories and possessions of the United States.
  - 1202.409 Transfers for use in the territories and possessions of the United States.
  - 1202.410 Transfers for export.
  - 1202.411 Records and reports.
  - 1202.412 Communications.
  - 1202.413 Incorporation into Food Production Order No. 14.

**AUTHORITY:** §§ 1202.401 to 1202.413, inclusive, issued under 54 Stat. 676, 55 Stat. 236, 56 Stat. 176; E.O. 9280, 9322, 9334, 9392; 7 F.R. 10179, 8 F.R. 3807, 5423, 14783.

§ 1202.401 *Purpose of this supplementary order.* This supplementary order explains the procedure to be followed in distributing new pressure canners from manufacturers to retail outlets and it also sets forth the requirements of the rationing program which are of special importance to persons desiring such equipment. This supplementary order should be read in conjunction with Food Production Order No. 14 which establishes the general rationing program and which contains definitions of certain terms used herein.

§ 1202.402 *Scope.* This supplementary order deals only with new pressure

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canners, which are rationed farm equipment as defined in Food Production Order No. 14. As used herein, "pressure canner" means any device commonly known as a pressure cooker or pressure canner which may be used for canning food products under steam pressure, which has a capacity of 7 or 14 one-quart glass jars, and which is equipped with a dial, indicating or weighted gauge, a venting device, and a safety valve.

§ 1202.403 Compliance with this supplementary order. No person shall make a transfer or accept a transfer of any pressure canner, except pursuant to this supplementary order or pursuant to directions which may be issued by the Director.

§ 1202.404 Transfers of pressure canners by manufacturers. (a) Subject to the provisions of this supplementary order, a manufacturer may transfer in the continental United States (1) any pressure canners manufactured by him other than those manufactured pursuant to the authorization contained in War Production Board Order L-30-d (9 F.R. 1106), Direction 1 (9 F.R. 1108), and (2)

80 percent of his scheduled production of pressure canners under War Production Board Order L-30-d, Direction 1.

(b) Twenty percent of each manufacturer's scheduled production of pressure canners under War Production Board Order L-30-d, Direction 1, shall constitute a reserve. The Director is hereby authorized, in his discretion, to direct the transfer of such reserve. In so doing, the Director may direct the transfer of a manufacturer's current production at any given time, or he may direct the transfer of the reserve from the inventory of pressure canners.

§ 1202.405 Transfers for use in canning food products in the continental United States. Notwithstanding any provision of Food Production Order No. 14, any person may make a transfer or accept a transfer, without a purchase certificate, of any pressure canner in the continental United States for use in the canning of food products, except that a Federal agency shall be subject to the provisions of § 1202.407 of this supplementary order.

§ 1202.406 Transfers for use other than in canning food products. No person shall make a transfer or accept a transfer of any pressure canner for use other than in canning food products, except pursuant to a written authorization from the Director.

§ 1202.407 Transfers to a Federal agency. No Federal agency may accept a transfer of any pressure canner, except pursuant to a written authorization from the Director.

§ 1202.408 Transfers to territories and possessions of the United States. No person shall make a transfer or accept a transfer of any pressure canner for shipment to Alaska, Hawaii, Puerto Rico, the Virgin Islands, or any other territory or possession of the United States, except pursuant to a written authorization from the Director.

§ 1202.409 Transfers for use in the territories and possessions of the United States. Notwithstanding any provision of Food Production Order No. 14, the Farm Rationing Committee for Alaska, Hawaii and for Puerto Rico and the Virgin Islands is hereby authorized, in its discretion, to direct the distribution of pressure canners and to prescribe the uses for which they may be transferred. The Farm Rationing Committee shall at all times serve the objectives sought by the rationing program and allocate pressure canners in such manner as will afford the maximum contribution to agricultural production.

§ 1202.410 Transfers for export. No person shall make a transfer or accept a transfer of pressure canners for shipment, nor shall any person ship pressure canners, outside the continental United States, its territories and possessions, except pursuant to a written authorization from the Director.

§ 1202.411 Records and reports. Each manufacturer shall maintain records which will enable him upon request from time to time by the Director to report the total number of each size of pressure

canners produced and the total number of each size distributed to each State. Each manufacturer shall also make such other reports as the Director may from time to time request, subject to the approval of the Bureau of the Budget in accordance with the Federal Reports Act of 1942. (The record keeping requirement of this section has been approved by the Bureau of the Budget in accordance with the Federal Reports Act of 1942.)

§ 1202.412 *Communications.* All communications concerning this Supplementary Order No. 4 to Food Production Order No. 14, shall, unless otherwise directed, be addressed to the Director of the Office of Materials and Facilities, War Food Administration, Washington 25, D. C., Ref: FPO 14, Supp. 4.

§ 1202.413 *Incorporation into Food Production Order No. 14.* This Supplementary Order No. 4 shall be added to and become a part of Food Production Order No. 14 and any violation of this Supplementary Order No. 4 shall be deemed to be a violation of Food Production Order No. 14.

Issued this 11th day of April 1944.

WILSON COWEN,  
Assistant War Food Administrator.

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## TITLE 16—COMMERCIAL PRACTICES

### Chapter I—Federal Trade Commission

[Docket No. 4581]

### PART 3—DIGEST OF CEASE AND DESIST ORDERS

GULF OIL CORP.

§ 3.6 (t) *Advertising falsely or misleadingly—Qualities or properties of product or service.* In connection with offer, etc., in commerce, of respondent's "Gulf Livestock Spray," or any other similar product, representing, directly or by implication, (1) that respondent's product affords complete protection to livestock from insects; and (2) that the use of respondent's product will cause cows to be healthy or cause an increase in milk production; prohibited, subject to the provision, however, that the order shall not be construed as prohibiting respondent from representing that in those cases where an unhealthy condition of cows or a decrease in milk production is due to the presence of insects, respondent's product may be of benefit in affording a measure of protection against such insects. (Sec. 5, 38 Stat. 719, as amended by sec. 3, 52 Stat. 112; 15 U.S.C., sec. 45b) [Cease and desist order, Gulf Oil Corporation, Docket 4581, April 4, 1944]

At a regular session of the Federal Trade Commission, held at its office in the City of Washington, D. C., on the 4th day of April, A. D. 1944.

This proceeding having been heard by the Federal Trade Commission upon the complaint of the Commission, the answer of respondent, testimony and other evidence taken before a trial examiner

of the Commission theretofore duly designated by it, report of the trial examiner upon the evidence and the exceptions to such report, briefs in support of and in opposition to the complaint, and oral argument; and the Commission having made its findings as to the facts and its conclusion that the respondent has violated the provisions of the Federal Trade Commission Act:

*It is ordered*, That the respondent, Gulf Oil Corporation, a corporation, and its officers, agents, representatives, and employees, directly or through any corporate or other device, in connection with the offering for sale, sale, and distribution in commerce, as "commerce" is defined in the Federal Trade Commission Act, of respondent's product designated "Gulf Livestock Spray," or any other product of substantially similar composition or possessing substantially similar properties, whether sold under the same name or any other name, do forthwith cease and desist from:

1. Representing, directly or by implication, that respondent's product affords complete protection to livestock from insects.

2. Representing, directly or by implication, that the use of respondent's product will cause cows to be healthy or cause an increase in milk production: *Provided, however*, That this order shall not be construed as prohibiting respondent from representing that in those cases where an unhealthy condition of cows or a decrease in milk production is due to the presence of insects, respondent's product may be of benefit in affording a measure of protection against such insects.

*It is further ordered*, That the respondent shall, within sixty (60) days after service upon it of this order, file with the Commission a report in writing setting forth in detail the manner and form in which it has complied with this order.

By the Commission.

[SEAL] OTIS B. JOHNSON,  
Secretary.

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## TITLE 21—FOOD AND DRUGS

### Chapter I—Food and Drug Administration

### PART 170—REGULATIONS FOR THE ENFORCEMENT OF THE FEDERAL TEA ACT

#### TEA STANDARDS

Pursuant to the authority of sections 2 and 3 of the Federal Tea Act (29 Stat. 604; 35 Stat. 163; as amended 41 Stat. 712; 21 U.S.C. 41), the tea standards that were fixed and established by the Federal Security Administrator on February 17, 1942 (7 F.R. 1428, § 170.19 (b)) shall be in force and effect from May 1, 1944, until April 30, 1945.

[SEAL] WATSON B. MILLER,  
Acting Administrator.

APRIL 11, 1944.

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## Chapter II—Bureau of Narcotics

[Narcotic Conservation Order 2]

### PART 205—NARCOTIC DRUGS CONSERVATION

#### PURCHASES OR SALES OF DERIVATIVES OF OPIUM AND COCA LEAVES

The Bureau of Narcotics is satisfied that the fulfillment of requirements for the defense of the United States will result in a shortage in the supply of narcotic drugs for defense, for private account or for export; and the following order is deemed necessary and appropriate in the public interest and to promote the national defense.

Pursuant to the authority vested in the Bureau of Narcotics by Directive No. 10 of the War Production Board, issued October 6, 1942, and supplementing Narcotic Conservation Order 1, issued May 25, 1943, *It is hereby ordered*, That:

- Sec.  
 205.11 Establishment of retail dealers' quotas.  
 205.12 Limitation on purchase of derivatives of opium or coca leaves.  
 205.13 Determination of quotas.  
 205.14 Adjustment of quotas.  
 205.15 Definitions.  
 205.16 Records and returns.  
 205.17 Penalties.  
 205.18 Effective date.

AUTHORITY: §§ 205.11-205.18, inclusive, issued under WPB Directive No. 10, 32 CFR 903.16, 7 F.R. 7938.

§ 205.11 *Establishment of retail dealers' quotas.* Whenever it shall appear to the Commissioner of Narcotics, through investigation made by the Bureau of Narcotics, that purchases or sales of derivatives of opium and coca leaves, by one or more retail dealers therein located within any particular area, exceed bona fide medical requirements, he may assign purchase quotas for such derivatives to all retail dealers located within the particular area.

§ 205.12 *Limitation on purchase of derivatives of opium or coca leaves.* No person in any such area, to whom a retail dealer's quota has been thus assigned, shall purchase any quantity of such derivative in excess of the regular and supplementary quotas assigned to him, and no other person in any such area shall purchase, as a retail dealer, any quantity of such derivative until he shall have applied to the Bureau of Narcotics for, and shall have been assigned, a purchase quota or quotas for such derivative.

§ 205.13 *Determination of quotas.* (a) Quotas will be assigned in such numbers and amounts and upon such terms and conditions as the Bureau of Narcotics shall deem necessary or appropriate in the public interest and to promote the national defense.

(b) In the assignment of quotas under § 205.11 hereof, consideration will be given to estimated requirements based upon past business done, to the extent only that such past business is deemed to reflect bona fide medical needs. In case of a new applicant, consideration will be given to estimated requirements as determined by comparison of his facilities with those of other retail dealers already established in the area, all with due re-

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gard to the current or anticipated medical needs.

(c) No purchase quota will be assigned (1) to a dealer whose sale or distribution of narcotic drugs has been marked by such lack of good faith, particularly in filling orders for narcotic drugs purporting to be prescriptions, as, in the opinion of the Bureau, renders assignment of a quota inadvisable in the interest of conservation, or (2) to a dealer who does not provide and maintain measures, deemed adequate by the Bureau of Narcotics, for the safeguarding and protection of narcotic drugs, or (3) to a dealer who fails to observe applicable licensing requirements, or regulatory restrictions upon the sale and distribution of narcotic drugs, imposed by the laws of his state, territory or district.

§ 205.14 *Adjustment of quotas.* All quotas assigned shall be subject to revision from time to time as the Bureau of Narcotics shall deem necessary to give full effect to the principle of this order and of Directive No. 10, and to supply all medical needs. For cause shown, the Commissioner of Narcotics may assign a supplementary quota or quotas.

§ 205.15 *Definitions.* The term "area" means any Federal internal revenue collection district or such limited portion thereof, as a county, city or town, as the Commissioner of Narcotics shall determine appropriate for the purpose of carrying into effect the intent and purpose of this order.

The term "narcotic drugs" means opium, coca leaves, cocaine, or any salt, derivative or preparation of opium, coca leaves, or cocaine.

The term "derivative" shall mean any form of opium obtained from crude opium; any of the phenanthrene alkaloids of opium or the ecgonine alkaloids of the coca leaf, or the salts of such alkaloids; and every substance obtained or obtainable from such alkaloids whether produced by a synthetic process or otherwise, excepting extracts of coca leaves which do not contain cocaine or ecgonine.

The term "supplementary quota" means a quota representing a quantity of a derivative additional to that of the regular quota assigned for the period.

§ 205.16 *Records and returns.* In addition to the records and returns required to be kept or submitted under the Federal narcotic laws and regulations pursuant thereto, such special reports of transactions in narcotic drugs shall be furnished as the Bureau of Narcotics may from time to time require.

§ 205.17 *Penalties.* Any person who wilfully violates any provision of this order or who, in connection with this order, wilfully conceals a material fact or furnishes false information to any department or agency of the United States is guilty of a crime, and upon conviction may be punished by fine or imprisonment. Any such person may be prohibited from making or obtaining further deliveries of, or from processing or using, narcotic drugs.

§ 205.18 *Effective date.* This order shall become effective on and after April

20, 1944, and subject to the provisions of Directive No. 10 of the War Production Board, and of section 1501 of the Second War Powers Act, 1942, shall continue in effect until revoked by the Commissioner of Narcotics. The right is reserved to amend, modify or supplement this order by such further orders as the Commissioner of Narcotics may deem necessary or appropriate.

[SEAL] H. J. ANSLINGER,  
*Commissioner of Narcotics.*

Approved: April 6, 1944.

HERBERT E. GASTON,  
*Acting Secretary of the Treasury.*

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## TITLE 24—HOUSING CREDIT

## Chapter II—Federal Savings and Loan System

[Bulletin 35]

## PART 202—INCORPORATION, CONVERSION, AND ORGANIZATION

## VOTING RIGHTS OF MEMBERS

Authorizing an amendment to chapter K clarifying the provisions governing voting rights of members.

Paragraph (d) of § 202.9 of the rules and regulations for the Federal Savings and Loan System is hereby amended, effective April 11, 1944, by adding the following new subparagraph at the end thereof:

(4) Amendment repealing the last sentence of section 4 and adding the following provisions in lieu thereof:

The members who shall be entitled to vote at any meeting of the members shall be those owning share accounts and borrowing members of record on the books of the association at the end of the calendar month next preceding the date of such meeting. The number of votes which each member shall be entitled to cast at any meeting of the members shall be determined from the books of the association as of the end of the calendar month next preceding the date of such meeting. Those who were members at the end of the calendar month next preceding the date of a meeting of members but who shall have ceased to be members prior to such meeting shall not be entitled to vote thereat.

(Sec. 5 (a), (c), 48 Stat. 132, Sec. 18, 49 Stat. 297; 12 U.S.C. 1464 (a), (c) and Sup.; E.O. 9070, 7 F.R. 1529)

This amendment is deemed to be of a minor and procedural character within the meaning of § 201.2 of the rules and regulations for the Federal Savings and Loan System.

[SEAL] JAMES TWOHY,  
*Governor.*  
HAROLD LEE,  
*General Counsel.*  
ORMOND E. LOOMIS,  
*Executive Assistant to  
the Commissioner.*

APRIL 10, 1944.

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## TITLE 32—NATIONAL DEFENSE

## Chapter IX—War Production Board

## Subchapter B—Executive Vice-Chairman

AUTHORITY: Regulations in this subchapter issued under sec. 2 (a), 54 Stat. 676, as amended by 55 Stat. 236 and 56 Stat. 176; E.O. 9024, 7 F.R. 329; E.O. 9125, 7 F.R. 2718; W.P.B. Reg. 1 as amended March 24, 1943, 8 F.R. 3666, 3696; Pri. Reg. 1 as amended May 15, 1943, 8 F.R. 6727.

## PART 1010—SUSPENSION ORDERS

[Suspension Order S-525]

## LAUREHK RADIO MANUFACTURING CO.

Earl F. Rehklau, individually and doing business as Laurehk Radio Manufacturing Company of 3331 Monroe Avenue, Wayne, Michigan, is engaged in the business of dealing in radio tubes and the assembly and sale of both hearing aid devices and electronic stethoscopes. Between April 24 and September 1, 1943, he transferred about 7,500 radio tubes without the certificates, preferred order, or ratings required by General Limitation Order L-265 and in violation of that order. Between January 1 and September 30, 1943, he applied ratings to purchases in excess of quantities authorized by the War Production Board, in violation of Priorities Regulation No. 3. He failed to keep and preserve accurate and complete records of inventories and details of transactions in electronic equipment, in violation of Priorities Regulation No. 1. He misrepresented to the War Production Board his receipt of radio tubes during the period between January 1 and August 24, 1943. Earl F. Rehklau was so grossly negligent and indifferent to the orders and regulations of the War Production Board that these violations must be deemed wilful, and they have diverted scarce materials to uses not authorized by the War Production Board. In view of the foregoing, it is hereby ordered, that:

§ 1010.525 Suspension Order No. S-525. (a) Earl F. Rehklau, individually or doing business as Laurehk Radio Manufacturing Company, his or its successors or assigns, shall not directly or indirectly buy or sell radio tubes, as controlled by General Limitation order L-265, unless hereafter specifically authorized in writing by the War Production Board.

(b) Nothing in this order shall be deemed to relieve Earl F. Rehklau, individually or doing business as Laurehk Radio Manufacturing Company, his or its successors or assigns, from any restriction, prohibition, or provision contained in any other order or regulation of the War Production Board except insofar as the same may be inconsistent with the provisions hereof.

(c) This order shall take effect on April 11, 1944, and shall expire on August 11, 1944.

Issued this 4th day of April 1944.

WAR PRODUCTION BOARD,  
By J. JOSEPH WHELAN,  
*Recording Secretary.*

[F. R. Doc. 44-5144; Filed, April 11, 1944;  
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## PART 1010—SUSPENSION ORDERS

[Suspension Order S-526]

## VOISINE STEEL COMPANY

Voisine Steel Company, a corporation, operates a steel warehouse at 2423 McKinstry Avenue, Detroit, Michigan. In March, 1943, it delivered 7660 pounds of hot-rolled sheets upon an order bearing no preference rating, in violation of Supplementary Order M-21-b. It failed to reject orders for delivery and made delivery of steel, other than rails, as follows: 40,570 pounds on May 20, 1943; 41,110 pounds on August 5, 1943; and 60,660 pounds on August 6, 1943. Each order called for delivery and delivery was made to one person at one time at one destination in violation of CMP Regulation 4 restricting said deliveries to not more than 40,000 pounds. On May 10, 1943, it delivered 81,040 pounds of sheet steel to one customer, at one destination, and in one quarter, in violation of CMP Regulation 4 which limited such delivery to 6,000 pounds. It failed to keep and preserve accurate and complete records of inventories, of materials, and of details of transactions in those materials, in violation of Priorities Regulation 1. Voisine Steel Company made no attempt to comply with the orders and regulations of the War Production Board, and these violations must be deemed wilful.

These violations of Supplementary Order M-21-b, CMP Regulation 4, and Priorities Regulation 1 have diverted scarce materials to uses not authorized by the War Production Board and have hampered and impeded the war effort of the United States. In view of the foregoing, it is hereby ordered, that:

**§ 1010.526 Suspension Order No. S-526.** (a) Voisine Steel Company, its successors or assigns, shall not directly or indirectly, operate as a steel warehouse, as defined in General Preference Order M-21-b, or as defined in any order amending or superseding General Preference Order M-21-b-1, unless hereafter specifically authorized in writing by the War Production Board.

(b) Nothing contained in this order shall be deemed to relieve Voisine Steel Company, its successors or assigns, from any restriction, prohibition or provision contained in any other order or regulation of the War Production Board, except insofar as the same may be inconsistent with the provisions hereof.

(c) This order shall take effect on April 11, 1944.

Issued this 4th day of April 1944.

WAR PRODUCTION BOARD,  
By J. JOSEPH WHELAN,  
Recording Secretary.

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## PART 1076—PLUMBING AND HEATING SIMPLIFICATION

[Limitation Order L-42, Schedule XII, as Amended Apr. 12, 1944]

## PLUMBING FIXTURES

**§ 1076.14 Schedule XII to Limitation Order L-42—(a) Definitions.** For the purposes of this schedule:

(1) "Producer" means any person who manufactures, processes or fabricates plumbing fixtures.

(2) "Plumbing fixture" means any bathtub, bidet, bath (foot sitz), drain pool (for a septic tank system), drain board, fountain (drinking, wash), lavatory, laundry tray, sink (except a scullery sink, with or without drain boards), sink and laundry tray combination, sink leg, shower receptor, shower stall and receptor combination, septic tank, water closet bowl (including frostproof bowl), urinal, urinal tank, water closet tank (other than a pressure tank for a frostproof closet); but it does not include any plumbing fixture trim not specifically named in this schedule:

(b) *Limitations.* Pursuant to Limitation Order L-42 the following limitations are established for the manufacture of plumbing fixtures:

No metal may be used in the manufacture of plumbing fixtures except that:

(1) Any person may incorporate into any plumbing fixture the minimum quantity of metal which is required for coating, nuts, bolts, screws, clamps, rivets and other items of joining hardware, excluding chair carriers, which are necessary for the construction, assembly or installation of the plumbing fixture, provided that such use is not prohibited by any other order of the War Production Board.

(2) In addition, any person may incorporate into any of the following named plumbing fixtures the metals specified in quantities not exceeding those designated, provided that such use is not prohibited by any other order of the War Production Board:

(i) Into any non-metallic wash fountain, (a) the maximum of one pound of copper or copper base alloy, (b) ferrous metal as required for reinforcement, trap, column, interior piping, foot rails and levers, and fixture trim.

NOTE: Subdivisions (ii) to (x) inclusive, formerly (v) to (xiii), redesignated and former subdivisions (ii) to (iv) inclusive deleted Apr. 12, 1944.

(ii) Into any cement or concrete laundry tray, one ounce of zinc for waste plug in each outlet and ferrous metal as follows: one compartment, one and a half pounds for reinforcement, one and a half pounds for cast-in waste fitting; two compartments, two pounds for reinforcement, two and a half pounds for cast-in twin waste fitting; three compartments, three pounds for reinforcement, four pounds for one single cast-in waste fitting and one cast-in twin waste fitting;

(iii) Into any cement or concrete shower receptor and cast-in drain, six pounds of ferrous metal;

(iv) Into any shower stall and receptor combination, twenty-four pounds of ferrous metal (only secondary quality of sheet steel, including the rejects and trimmings, may be used);

(v) Into any concrete septic tank, ferrous metal required for reinforcement only, inlet or outlet connection, internal

syphon and internal syphon pipe connection;

(vi) Into any water closet bowl that is to be supplied with water through a diaphragm or a piston type flush valve or a pressure tank, one pound of ferrous metal for spud;

(vii) Into any water closet bowl that is to be supplied with water from a water closet tank, one pound of ferrous metal for spud;

(viii) Into any component working parts of any tank for water closet (other than a pressure tank for a frostproof closet), four pounds of metal;

(ix) Into any urinal, one pound of ferrous metal for spuds;

(x) Into any component working parts of any tank for urinal, having  $\frac{3}{4}$ " automatic flush valve, five pounds of metal; having 1" automatic flush valve, seven pounds of metal; having  $1\frac{1}{4}$ " or larger automatic flush valve, ten pounds of metal.

(3) The restrictions of this order shall not apply to the use of lead.

(c) *General exceptions.* The prohibitions and restrictions contained in this schedule shall not apply to the use of metal in the manufacture of any plumbing fixture or any part thereof which is being produced:

(1) Under a specific contract or subcontract for use in chemical plants, research laboratories or hospitals, where and to the extent that the physical, chemical and aseptic properties make the use of other materials impracticable. This exception, however, does not include any plumbing fixture used in private rooms or nurses' or attendants' quarters in any plant, laboratory or hospital.

(2) Under a specific contract or subcontract for use as part of the equipment of any aircraft or any vessel other than a pleasure craft where the use of other material is impracticable: *Provided, however,* That no monel metal shall be used in the manufacture of any trough urinal.

(3) Under a specific contract or subcontract specifying trough urinals for delivery to, or for the account of, the Army or Navy of the United States, the United States Maritime Commission or the War Shipping Administration for use outside the continental United States (the several States and the District of Columbia): *Provided, however,* That no monel metal shall be used in the manufacture of any such trough urinal.

(d) [Deleted Apr. 12, 1944]

(e) [Deleted Apr. 12, 1944]

Issued this 12th day of April 1944.

WAR PRODUCTION BOARD,  
By J. JOSEPH WHELAN,  
Recording Secretary.

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## PART 1226—GENERAL INDUSTRIAL EQUIPMENT

[General Limitation Order L-193 as Amended Apr. 12, 1944]

## CONVEYING MACHINERY AND MECHANICAL POWER TRANSMISSION EQUIPMENT

The fulfillment of requirements for the defense of the United States has created

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a shortage in the supply of certain critical materials, and in the engineering and other facilities, used in the manufacture of conveying machinery and mechanical power transmission equipment, for defense, for private account, and for export; and the following order is deemed necessary and appropriate in the public interest and to promote the national defense:

§ 1226.52 General Limitation Order L-193—(a) Definitions. For the purpose of this order:

(1) "Person" means any individual, partnership, association, business trust, corporation, governmental corporation or agency, or any organized group of persons whether incorporated or not.

(2) "Conveying machinery" means any new machinery (and any important component part thereof) used for the mechanical handling of materials, including pneumatic tube delivery systems; except (i) belting, (ii) farm machinery, (iii) machinery or parts used on board ship in the operation of any vessel owned or operated by the Army, Navy, Maritime Commission, or War Shipping Administration, or used in the operating of aircraft, tanks, ordnance, or similar combat equipment, (iv) power and hand lift trucks, (v) cranes, hoists and platform elevators, (vi) construction mixers, pavers, graders, drag lines and power shovels, and similar construction machinery, (vii) cars and car dumpers, (viii) steel mill tables, (ix) sintering conveyors, (x) metal pig conveyors, (xi) underground mining machinery including slope conveyors, and (xii) portable conveyors as defined in Limitation Order L-287.

(3) "Mechanical power transmission equipment" means new equipment (and any important component part thereof) of the following kinds (except equipment or parts used in the operation of any vessel owned or operated by the Army, Navy, Maritime Commission, or War Shipping Administration, or used in the operation of aircraft, tanks, ordnance or similar combat equipment):

(i) Open and enclosed gearing for transmitting more than  $\frac{1}{4}$  horsepower; except marine propulsion gears, gears manufactured by a person for incorporation into other machinery also produced by him, gears built into turbines, and gears used on household, manually powered, automotive, or farm machinery;

(ii) Mechanical drives and parts thereof for transmitting more than  $\frac{1}{4}$  horsepower; except belting, drives manufactured by a person for incorporation into other machinery also produced by him, and drives used on household, manually powered, automotive or farm machinery.

(4) "Order" includes any arrangement for the delivery of conveying machinery or mechanical power transmission equipment, whether by purchase and sale, lease, rental or otherwise.

(5) [Deleted Oct. 26, 1943]

(6) [Deleted Oct. 26, 1943]

(7) "Manufacture" means fabrication or shop assembly of conveying machinery or mechanical power transmission equipment, or any component part thereof;

but does not include the making of engineering drawings, blue prints, designs, estimates, or surveys.

(8) [Deleted Oct. 26, 1943]

(9) "Anti-friction bearings" means all types of ball, needle and roller bearings.

(b) *Restrictions on acceptance of orders.*

(1) [Deleted Oct. 26, 1943]

(2) [Deleted Oct. 26, 1943]

(3) On and after May 15, 1943 no person shall accept any order for any conveying machinery or mechanical power transmission equipment unless the order is rated AA-5 or higher. This restriction shall not apply to orders under which unused machinery or equipment is returned to the person from whom it was purchased.

(4) [Deleted Oct. 26, 1943]

(c) *Restrictions on manufacture and delivery.*

(1) [Deleted Oct. 26, 1943]

(2) Except as otherwise provided in paragraph (c) (3) hereof, on and after October 7, 1942 no person shall manufacture or deliver, and no person shall knowingly accept the delivery of, any conveying machinery or mechanical power transmission equipment, or parts therefor unless such machinery or equipment or parts are manufactured in accordance with the restrictions on the use of materials prescribed in Schedule A hereto: *Provided, however,* That parts fabricated or processed, prior to October 7, 1942 to the point where other use is impracticable, may be used in fulfillment of any order at any time.

(3) The limitations and restrictions of paragraph (c) shall not apply:

(i) To the manufacture or delivery of any conveying machinery or mechanical power transmission equipment in the process of manufacture on October 7, 1942 in fulfillment of any order accepted by the manufacturer prior to August 1, 1942.

(ii) For ninety days following October 7, 1942, to the manufacture or delivery of any conveying machinery or mechanical power transmission equipment in the process of manufacture on October 7, 1942 in fulfillment of any order accepted by the manufacturer on or after August 1, 1942 but prior to October 7, 1942.

(iii) For ninety days following October 7, 1942 to the manufacture or delivery in fulfillment of any order for the use of the Army, Navy, Maritime Commission or War Shipping Administration, to the extent that any applicable specifications of the Army, Navy, Maritime Commission, or War Shipping Administration, require construction, design, or materials not in accordance with the provisions of this order. As used herein, the terms "Army", "Navy", "Maritime Commission" or "War Shipping Administration" shall not include any privately operated plant or shipyard financed by or controlled by any of those organizations, or operated on a cost-plus-fixed-fee basis. For the purposes of this paragraph (c) an order for machinery or equipment shall be deemed to have been in the process of manufacture on October 7, 1942 only if fabrication or assembly of a component part, in fulfillment of such

order and not for inventory or stock, was begun prior to October 7, 1942.

(d) [Deleted Oct. 26, 1943]

(e) [Revoked May 10, 1943]

(f) *Miscellaneous provisions.*

(1) [Deleted Oct. 26, 1943]

(2) [Deleted Oct. 26, 1943]

(3) *Other limitation orders.* Nothing in this order shall be construed to permit any person to sell, deliver, or otherwise transfer, or any manufacturer to purchase, receive delivery of or otherwise acquire any raw materials, semi-processed parts, or finished products in contravention of the terms of any L, M, or R order, or amendments or supplements thereto, or other regulation of the War Production Board effective at the date of any such sale, delivery, or other transfer. Where the limitations imposed by any other L, M or R order are applicable to the subject matter of this order, the most restrictive limitation shall apply, unless otherwise specifically provided herein.

(4) *Violations.* Any person who wilfully violates any provision of this order, or who wilfully furnishes false information to the War Production Board in connection with this order is guilty of a crime and upon conviction may be punished by fine or imprisonment. In addition, any such person may be prohibited from making or obtaining further deliveries of, or from processing or using material under priority control and may be deprived of priorities assistance by the War Production Board.

(5) *Appeals.* Any appeal from the provisions of this order shall be made by filing, with the Field Office of the War Production Board for the District in which is located the plant or branch of the appellant to which the appeal relates, either Form WPB-1477 (formerly PD-500) or a letter in triplicate, referring to the provision appealed from and fully stating the grounds for the appeal.

(6) *Communications.* All reports required to be filed hereunder, and all communications concerning this order, shall, unless otherwise directed, be addressed to: War Production Board, General Industrial Equipment Division, Washington 25, D. C. Ref.: L-193.

Issued this 12th day of April 1944.

WAR PRODUCTION BOARD,

By J. JOSEPH WHELAN,

Recording Secretary.

SCHEDULE A—RESTRICTIONS AND LIMITATIONS  
ON THE USE OF MATERIALS IN CONVEYING  
MACHINERY OR MECHANICAL POWER TRANS-  
MISSION EQUIPMENT

(a) As used in this schedule, "line shafting" means any shaft driving two or more machines or any single length or rigidly coupled lengths of shafting supported by three or more bearings.

(b) *Conveying machinery.* The materials listed below are restricted or prohibited in the construction of conveying machinery, as prescribed below; except as the War Production Board may waive compliance with any such restriction or prohibition, upon application by the manufacturer or purchaser by letter or other communication, setting forth pertinent facts disclosing the necessity for such waiver.

(1) *Bins, bunkers, hoppers and tanks* (when used as part of conveying machin-

ery or equipment). No metal other than iron and steel shall be used in bins, hoppers, tanks, or bunkers having a capacity of more than 400 cubic feet level filled, except in clips, gussets, bolts, nuts, screws, lag screws, hinges, tension rods, reinforcing bars or mesh, washers, and hopper bottoms of less than 400 cubic feet capacity. No steel plate of a thickness in excess of  $\frac{1}{4}$  inch shall be used in bins, tanks, or hoppers with a capacity of less than 400 cubic feet, level filled. No liner plates of steel shall be used in steel bins, steel tanks, or steel hoppers. Steel liners for wood bins or wood bunkers shall not exceed No. 10 U. S. gage in thickness.

(2) [Deleted Apr. 12, 1944]

(3) [Deleted Apr. 12, 1944]

(4) *Conveyor structures.* (1) No metal other than iron and steel shall be used in the following structural parts:

(A) Supports for fixed conveyor frames except supports for gravity, live roll and package conveyors.

(B) Fixed bulk material belt conveyor frames (including stringers).

(C) Conveyor galleries.

(D) Belt conveyor decking.

(E) Walkways, toe boards, handrails, stairways, and platforms.

(F) Guards or housing used only for protection, except those used for mechanical power transmission drives.

(G) [Deleted Jan. 21, 1944]

(H) [Deleted Jan. 21, 1944]

(I) [Deleted Jan. 21, 1944]

(ii) Trough linings for fixed conveyors shall not exceed No. 10 U. S. gage in thickness.

(iii) Steel for chutes and spouts shall not exceed  $\frac{3}{16}$  inch in thickness.

(iv) No steel liner plates shall be used in steel chutes or steel spouts.

(v) Steel linings for wood chutes or wood spouts shall not exceed No. 10 U. S. gage in thickness.

(vi) No copper bearing sheets or plates shall be used.

(vii) Steel troughing belt carriers and steel return belt idler rolls shall not exceed 5 inches nominal diameter on idlers up to 42 inches; and shall not exceed 6 inches on idlers 42 inches and over; provided that this limitation shall not apply to parts used for repair or replacement purposes.

(c) *Mechanical power transmission equipment.* The materials listed below are restricted or prohibited in the construction of mechanical power transmission equipment as prescribed below; except as the War Production Board may waive compliance with any such restriction or prohibition, upon application by the manufacturer or purchaser by letter or other communication, setting forth pertinent facts disclosing the necessity for such waiver.

(1) *Anti-friction bearings.* (1) Anti-friction bearings shall not be used in hangers, pillow blocks, loose pulleys, and clutch pulleys for line shafting except for the following purposes, as certified by the purchaser:

(A) The reduction or elimination of fire hazards resulting from the combustible nature of the material being processed.

(B) Reduction or elimination of waste due to spoilage.

(C) Reduction of starting or running loads where the use of anti-friction bearings will correct an overload pertaining to the primary source of power.

(D) The repair or replacement of bearings for line shafting: *Provided, however,* That no anti-friction bearings shall be used for repair or replacement purposes for line shafting not previously equipped with such bearings.

The above mentioned certification by the purchaser shall be included in or shall accompany the purchase order, shall be signed

by a duly authorized official of the purchaser, and shall be in the following form:

"The undersigned hereby certifies that the anti-friction bearings covered by order \_\_\_\_\_ (here give

order number or other pertinent description) are for the following purposes as permitted by the provisions of Item (c) (1) of List A to Order L-193:

(here fill in the purposes for which the bearings will be used)

By \_\_\_\_\_ Company

Such certification shall be deemed a representation to the War Production Board as well as to the supplier to whom the order is tendered.

(1) [Deleted Apr. 12, 1944]

(2) [Deleted Apr. 12, 1944]

(3) [Deleted Apr. 12, 1944]

(4) [Deleted Apr. 12, 1944]

(5) [Deleted Apr. 12, 1944]

(6) [Deleted Apr. 12, 1944]

(d) *Rust proofing.* No metallic plating or coating shall be used in the rust proofing of conveyor machinery or mechanical power transmission equipment, except that galvanizing may be used to prevent contamination of food or in the case of anchor bolts set in concrete and subject to corrosive chemical action.

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#### PART 1226—GENERAL INDUSTRIAL EQUIPMENT

[General Limitation Order L-332, as Amended Apr. 12, 1944]

##### CONTAINER MACHINERY

The fulfillment of the requirements for the defense of the United States has created a shortage in the supply of material used in the production of container machinery for defense, for private account and for export; and the following order is deemed necessary and appropriate in the public interest and to promote the national defense.

§ 1226.135 *General Limitation Order L-332—(a) What this order does.* This order restricts deliveries of new, used, and reconditioned container machinery; it does not restrict deliveries of repair parts. The order requires manufacturers to file monthly operations reports.

(b) *Definitions.* For the purpose of this order:

(1) "Person" means any individual, partnership, association, business trust, governmental corporation or agency, or any organized group of persons, whether incorporated or not.

(2) "Container machinery" means all new, used, and reconditioned machinery and equipment of the types listed in Schedule A of this order having a retail sales value of \$500 or more (unless otherwise indicated).

(3) "Manufacturer" means any person engaged in the fabrication, assembly, reconditioning or rebuilding of container machinery.

(4) "Dealer" means any person engaged in the business of purchasing container machinery for resale.

(5) "Order" includes any arrangement for the delivery of container machinery or equipment, whether by purchase and sale, lease, rental or otherwise.

(c) *Restrictions on sales and deliveries.* After March 1, 1944, no person shall place an order for container machinery and no person shall accept such an order or deliver container machinery to fill an order received after March 1, 1944, unless the order bears a rating of AA-5 or higher. Neither shall any person make or accept delivery under any order placed or accepted before March 2, 1944, if delivery before that date would have violated Order L-83, as amended November 4, 1943.

(d) *Exemptions.* The limitations and restrictions of paragraph (c) shall not apply to the following transactions:

(1) The renewal of a lease for any container machinery if the original lease or any prior renewal was approved in accordance with this order (or Order L-83) and the machinery is still being used for the purpose approved.

(2) Any order for container machinery for the direct use of the Army, Navy, Maritime Commission or War Shipping Administration.

(3) The seizure of container machinery (but not subsequent disposition or use thereof) upon default, by any person pursuant to the terms of a conditional sales agreement, chattel mortgage, pledge, or other security agreement; and the distraint or levy by execution (but not subsequent disposition thereof) by tax authorities.

(4) The transfer of container machinery (but not subsequent disposition thereof) by will or intestacy, or a transfer by operation of law to a trustee, receiver, or assignee for the benefit of creditors, in bankruptcy, insolvency, receivership, or assignment for the benefit of creditors.

(5) The transfer of container machinery as part of a transaction, such as merger, consolidation, sale and purchase of assets, sale and purchase of stock, or lease of plant, involving the transfer of all or substantially all of the assets of an enterprise, where no liquidation or dismemberment of assets is contemplated.

(6) The transfer of container machinery, within a plant, or within a single corporate enterprise (including majority owned subsidiaries) from one plant or branch to another: *Provided, however,* That nothing in this subparagraph (6) shall be construed to permit transfers from a portion of an enterprise manufacturing, building or assembling new machinery to a portion using it.

(7) The transfer of container machinery (but not subsequent disposition thereof) as a trade-in, where the machinery to be installed is delivered pursuant to an approved order.

(8) Transfers of used container machinery to dealers.

(9) The delivery of container machinery for repair and return, the return of a repaired machine, and the loan of a machine to the user, for a period not to exceed three months pending the repair of the damaged machine.

(10) The transfer of container machinery to be scrapped for its material content.

(11) The unloading, from a vessel, of any imported container machinery.

(12) The transfer of any interest in any written instrument evidencing an interest in container machinery: *Provided, however,* That nothing in this subparagraph (12) shall be construed to permit the physical delivery or use of container machinery.

(13) The return of any leased container machinery by the lessee to the lessor upon the expiration, termination, or cancellation of the lease.

(14) The exchange of leased container machinery requiring factory repairing or rebuilding for new, reconditioned or rebuilt units fitted for the same size container, and of like model, size and capacity, provided the machinery to be replaced was approved in accordance with this order (or Order L-83) and the machinery to be acquired will be used for the purpose approved.

(e) *Operations reports.* Each manufacturer shall, on or before the 10th day of each month, commencing with March, 1944, file with the War Production Board an operations report on Form WPB-3551, in accordance with the instructions accompanying the form.

(f) *Miscellaneous provisions—(1) Applicability of regulations.* This order and all transactions affected thereby are subject to all applicable regulations of the War Production Board as amended from time to time.

(2) *Violations.* Any person who wilfully violates any provision of this order, or who, in connection with this order, wilfully conceals a material fact or furnishes false information to any department or agency of the United States is guilty of a crime and upon conviction may be punished by fine or imprisonment. In addition, any such person may be prohibited from making or obtaining further deliveries of, or from processing or using, material under priority control and may be deprived of priorities assistance.

(3) *Appeals.* Any appeal from the provisions of this order shall be made by filing a letter, in triplicate, referring to the particular provision appealed from and stating fully the grounds of the appeal. The letter must be filed with the field office of the War Production Board in the district in which is located the plant or branch of the appellant to which the appeal relates.

(4) *Communications.* All reports required to be filed hereunder and all other communications concerning this order shall, unless otherwise directed, be addressed to the War Production Board, General Industrial Equipment Division, Washington 25, D. C., Ref. L-332.

Issued this 12th day of April 1944.

WAR PRODUCTION BOARD,  
By J. JOSEPH WHELAN,  
Recording Secretary.

<sup>1</sup>This reporting requirement has been approved by the Bureau of the Budget in accordance with the Federal Reports Act of 1942.

#### SCHEDULE A

I. The following machinery and equipment are covered by this order, except as indicated below:

1. Bag making machinery and equipment, excluding textile bag forming and stitching machines.

2. Metal can and drum making machinery and equipment, including, but not limited to, sheet metal feeders, coaters and baking ovens.

3. Metal can and drum cleaning and reconditioning equipment.

4. Paper can, tube, box and carton making machinery.

5. Glass jar and bottle making machinery and equipment.

6. Metal cap and crown making machinery and equipment, including, but not limited to, sheet metal feeders, coaters and baking ovens.

7. Packaging machinery and equipment, including, but not limited to, fillers, labelers, wrappers, strappers, tying machines, case sealing machines, heavy duty staplers and stitchers, power driven for large and heavy cartons.

8. Screw capping machines.

9. Can, jar and bottle capping, closing and sealing machinery and equipment (other than screw capping machines) having a retail sales value of \$25 or more inclusive of motors.

II. The following machinery and equipment are specifically excluded from the provisions of this order:

1. Filling, labelling, washing and casing machinery used in canning, freezing and fresh packing of meats, fruits, vegetables and fishery products (as covered in Order L-292).

2. Bottling, bottle capping, bottle labeling and bottle washing machinery used for dairy products, brewery and winery products or non-alcoholic beverages (as covered in Order L-292).

3. Wrapping machinery used for bakery, dairy or tobacco products (as covered in Order L-292).

4. Wood container manufacturing machinery (as covered in Order L-311).

5. Graphic arts machinery (as defined in Order L-226).

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#### PART 3270—CONTAINERS

[Conservation Order M-290, as Amended  
Apr. 12, 1944]

##### CONTAINERBOARD

§ 3270.1 *Conservation Order M-290—(a) Definitions.* For the purpose of this order:

(1) "Mill operator" means any person who operates a congregation of pulp preparation, roll and sheet finishing equipment, paper machines and subsidiary facilities located and operated together as a single producing unit for the production of containerboard.

(2) "Containerboard" means the types and grades of paperboard classified under caption No. 211000 through 219000 in Form WPB-514, as currently revised. It shall also mean corrugated or solid fibre sheets of the kind used by "sheet plants" and "cleated-box manufacturers" in making containers or any other product. The term shall not include any item which is defined in Order P-146 as a "fibre shipping container"—such as a solid fibre (.045 or heavier) or corrugated fibre sheet or roll to be used for wrapping, packaging or otherwise protecting a product or material for shipment.

(3) "Container manufacturer" means any person (including any sheet plant operator, fibre-drum manufacturer, and any cleated-box manufacturer) who manufactures shipping containers or parts therefor, made wholly or in part from any type of containerboard.

(4) "Sheet-plant" means any container-manufacturing plant which does not have either corrugating or pasting equipment.

(5) "Cleated-box manufacturer" means any manufacturer of shipping containers made of corrugated or solid fibre sheets attached to wooden cleats.

(6) "Sheet supplier" means any container-manufacturer who supplies corrugated or solid fibre sheets to sheet-plants, whether owned by him or not.

##### Restrictions on Delivery and Receipt of Containerboard

(b) *Restrictions on acceptance of delivery.* On and after April 1, 1944, no person shall accept delivery of containerboard except as authorized by the War Production Board in writing.

(c) *Sheet plants and cleated box manufacturers.* Sheet plants and cleated box manufacturers who have been authorized to accept delivery of containerboard may place orders for corrugated or solid fibre sheets with sheet suppliers. If the orders have been properly certified as provided in the next paragraph the supplier may obtain the amount of containerboard which he will use to fill the orders in addition to that which the War Production Board has permitted him to receive by authorization issued directly to him. In certifying his orders for this additional containerboard the supplier shall give his customer's authorization number and date.

(d) *Delivery restrictions.* On and after April 1, 1944, no person shall deliver containerboard except on an order accompanied by a certificate, manually signed by the purchaser or an authorized official of the purchaser, in substantially the following form:

Authorized under Order M-290. Date of authorization \_\_\_\_\_, authorization number \_\_\_\_\_

This certificate shall constitute a representation to the War Production Board (subject to the penalties of section 35A of the United States Criminal Code) that the purchaser is authorized under this and other applicable War Production Board regulations and orders to place the delivery order and to receive the item(s) ordered for the purpose for which ordered. The standard certification of Priorities Regulation 7 must not be used instead of the certification described in this paragraph (d).

(e) *Authorizations.* (1) Authorizations for the purchase of containerboard in each calendar quarter will generally be issued by the War Production Board prior to the beginning of such quarter, but may be issued at any time. They will normally be issued on Form WPB 2492 which is to be filed by the prospective purchaser with the War Production Board as explained in paragraph (1) below. However, they may be issued by telegram or letter.

(2) Authorizations for the purchase of containerboard may specify the supplier with whom all or part of the

authorized orders may be placed and the date as of which said orders are to be shipped or delivered.

*Exceptions for Small Deliveries*

(f) *Purchasers.* A person who purchases less than 2½ tons of containerboard from all sources in any calendar quarter shall not be required to obtain the written authorization of the War Production Board to get containerboard in that quarter. However, when he buys in lots of more than fifty pounds he must accompany his order with a certificate in the following form:

The undersigned certifies that the amount of containerboard delivered to him and ordered for delivery to him during the calendar quarter in which delivery of this order is to be made (including the amount specified in this delivery order), does not exceed 2½ tons.

Any person may purchase containerboard in lots of less than fifty pounds without the authorization of the War Production Board and without filing the foregoing certificate.

(g) *Suppliers.* Any supplier of containerboard may sell it to a person purchasing in accordance with the preceding paragraph (f) regardless of the provisions of paragraph (d) of this order.

*Directions*

(h) *Directions.* The War Production Board may, from time to time, issue directions of the following kinds:

(1) *Mill production.* Directions requiring that all or any part of any mill operator's containerboard production during any period shall be in specified types and grades. Such directions will not be inconsistent with Order M-93 or actions taken under that order.

(2) *Mill shipment.* Directions requiring that all or any part of any mill operator's containerboard production shall be shipped (in such quantities, types, and grades as may be specified) to specified persons and at specified times, whether or not the containerboard is produced for other persons.

(3) *Sheet-supplier shipments.* Directions requiring that all or any part of any sheet-supplier's supply of containerboard sheets shall be shipped in such quantities, types, and grades as may be specified, to specified sheet-plants or cleated-box manufacturers.

(4) *Observance of directions.* Directions issued pursuant to this paragraph (h) shall, to the extent stated therein, take precedence over other deliveries of containerboard. The War Production Board may (with or without conditions) rescind or modify any directions issued pursuant to this paragraph (h) in any case in which it decides that there are special circumstances which would cause fulfillment of the direction to be impractical. In order to receive consideration, such special circumstances must be presented by telegram or letter to the War Production Board within seventy-two hours after they have arisen. If the War Production Board shall, after receipt of such facts, not give its written approval to an application for rescission or modification of a direction, the direction shall be fulfilled in accordance with its original terms.

Unless the War Production Board specifically permits him to do so, in writing, no mill operator or other supplier shall require customers to deliver waste in return for containerboard shipped on any authorized order.

*Restrictions on Use of Authorized Containerboard*

(i) *Use of authorized or directed containerboard.* Authorizations or directions issued under paragraphs (e) or (h) may specify the use to which all or any part of the authorized or directed containerboard may be put. In such cases, no person shall use any such containerboard except for the purpose specified. This prohibition does not, however, prevent the substitute use of any equivalent amount of containerboard of suitable grades.

(j) *Production directions.* The War Production Board may, from time to time, direct any person to fill any designated order or class of orders involving the use of containerboard and to use in filling that order, any allocated or unallocated containerboard available to him.

*Ratings*

(k) *Prohibition against use of ratings.* No person shall use any rating to get containerboard and no person selling containerboard shall require a rating as a condition of sale. Any rating purporting to be applied or extended to containerboard shall be void and no person shall give any effect to it in filling an order.

*Applications and Reports*

(l) *Applications for permission to receive containerboard.* Each person requiring authorization to accept delivery of containerboard during any calendar quarter shall file application on Form WPB-2492 in the manner and at the time stated in the instructions on that Form.

(m) *Reports by manufacturers of V-boxes.* In addition to the report required by paragraph (l) above, each manufacturer of V-boxes shall, on or before the 10th of March, June, September and December in each year, report to the War Production Board on Form WPB-2492—Supplement No. 1, in accordance with the instructions on that Form.

(n) *Budget approval.* The reporting requirements set forth in paragraphs (l) and (m) of this order have been approved by the Bureau of the Budget pursuant to the Federal Reports Act of 1942.

(o) *Other reports.* All persons affected by this order shall execute and file with the War Production Board, such other reports and questionnaires as said Board shall from time to time request subject to the approval of the Bureau of the Budget pursuant to the Federal Reports Act of 1942.

*Miscellaneous*

(p) *Multiple function organizations.* Where any person (including any parent subsidiary organization) engages in two or more of the types of operations subject to this order (for instance, if he is

both a producer or supplier and a converter of containerboard), the provisions of this order applicable to each type of function shall apply separately to his operations of that type. For example, a container-manufacturer may not receive containerboard from his own mill without an authorization; or part or all of that mill's production may be made the subject of a direction under paragraph (h).

(q) *Violations.* Any person who wilfully violates any provision of this order, or who, in connection with this order wilfully conceals a material fact, or furnishes false information to any department or agency of the United States is guilty of a crime, and upon conviction may be punished by fine or imprisonment. In addition, any such person may be prohibited from making or obtaining further deliveries of, or from processing or using, material under priority control and may be deprived of priorities assistance.

(r) *Applicability of regulations.* This order and all transactions affected hereby are subject to all applicable War Production Board regulations, as amended from time to time.

(s) *Communications to War Production Board.* All reports required to be filed hereunder and all communications concerning this order, shall, unless otherwise directed, be addressed to: War Production Board, Paperboard Division, Washington 25, D. C. Ref.: M-280.

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WAR PRODUCTION BOARD,  
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PART 3270—CONTAINERS

Interpretation 1 to Conservation Order M-290

The following interpretation is issued with respect to Conservation Order M-290:

Paragraph (b) of Order M-290 provides that no person shall accept delivery of containerboard except as authorized by the War Production Board in writing. This prohibition is not only applicable to container manufacturers, sheet plants, cleated box manufacturers, etc., but covers any person who requires the materials defined as containerboard by paragraph (a) (2) for any purpose. For instance, manufacturers of insulation, cedar closets, filing cabinets, and all other users of containerboard are barred from accepting delivery of this material without authorization. Pursuant to paragraph (d) a person who delivers containerboard to any person (not alone container manufacturers) except on an order certified as provided in that paragraph is in violation of Order M-290.

The material defined as containerboard in paragraph (a) (2) is any grade of paperboard classified under caption No. 211,000 through 219,000 in Form WPB-514 and any corrugated or solid fibre sheets of the kind used by sheet plants and cleated box manufacturers in making containers or any other product. If the sheets are of a kind used by sheet plants or cleated box manufacturers, they are covered by the order and cannot be acquired without authorization, regardless of whether

they are to be used for the fabrication of containers or not.

Cases falling within the "small deliveries" exceptions provided by paragraphs (f) and (g) of the order are an exception to this rule. In addition, attention is called to the fact that items which fall within the definition of "fibre shipping containers" in Order P-146 are excluded from the definition of "containerboard" in Order M-290.

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#### PART 3270—CONTAINERS

[Conservation Order M-261, Revocation]

##### STRAPPING FOR SHIPPING CONTAINERS

Section 3270.9 *Conservation Order M-261* is hereby revoked. This revocation does not affect any liability incurred under the order. The use of strapping on shipping containers remains subject to all applicable regulations and orders of the War Production Board.

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#### PART 3284—BUILDING MATERIALS

[Interpretation 2 to Limitation Order L-161]

##### TIME DELAY NON-RENEWABLE CARTRIDGE FUSE

The following interpretation is issued with respect to Limitation Order L-161:

The term "time delay non-renewable cartridge fuse" as used in paragraph (b) (2) (iii) of Limitation Order L-161 means a non-renewable cartridge fuse employing a dual element, one of the elements being a fuse link which opens on a short circuit and the second element, in series with the first, acting as a thermal cutout to open the circuit on prolonged overloads only. The term does not include non-renewable cartridge fuses which do not employ a dual element.

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#### PART 3292—AUTOMOTIVE VEHICLES, PARTS AND EQUIPMENT

[Limitation Order L-158, as Amended Apr. 12, 1944]

##### PRODUCTION OF REPLACEMENT PARTS FOR MOTOR VEHICLES

The fulfillment of requirements for the defense of the United States having created a shortage in the supply of aluminum, chromium, copper, nickel, and other materials required for the production of replacement parts for passenger

automobiles, light, medium and heavy motor trucks, truck trailers, passenger carriers, off-the-highway motor vehicles and motorized fire equipment for defense, for private account and for export, the following order is deemed necessary and appropriate in the public interest and to promote the national defense.

##### § 3292.46 Limitation Order L-158—

(a) *Definitions.* For the purpose of this order: (1) "Replacement parts" for passenger automobiles, light, medium and heavy motor trucks, truck-trailers, passenger carriers, off-the-highway motor vehicles and motorized fire equipment means only the following enumerated items, and the components entering into such items, which are produced for use in the repair, maintenance or improvement of such vehicles, but does not include any parts specially designed for military vehicles:

(i) For all vehicles: (1) engines, less starting, ignition and fuel systems, (2) clutches, (3) transmissions, (4) propeller shafts, (5) universal joints, (6) axles, (7) braking systems, (8) wheels, (9) tire valve assemblies, (10) starting apparatus, (11) frame and spring suspension assemblies, except spring covers and spring clip spacer tubes, (12) shock absorbers, (13) speedometers, (14) driving mirrors, (15) windshield wiper assemblies, (16) steering apparatus, (17) exhaust systems, (18) cooling system, including radiator shells supporting radiator cores, (19) fuel systems, but not locking-type gas caps, (20) bulk tubing other than copper for fuel, oil, brake and door-actuating lines, (21) lubricating system, including fittings, (22) electrical systems, including generators, motors, lamps (but not bulbs), signal horns, and bulk and spool (a) primary wire (b) spark plug wire and (c) battery cable, the last three items only in lengths of 100 ft. maximum, (23) safety glass and channels, (24) hood, door, window and rear deck actuating mechanisms, (25) front fenders, but only types which house or hold headlights, (26) windshield defrosters (components only), (27) heater hose.

(ii) In addition, but only for medium and heavy motor trucks, truck-trailers, passenger carriers, off-the-highway motor vehicles and motorized fire equipment: (28) power dividers and take offs, (29) governors, (30) transfer cases, (31) coupling devices, (32) trailer landing gears, (33) cabs and seats, (34) front fenders without limitation as to type, (35) hoods, (36) truck refrigeration units, (37) liquid measuring gauges, (38) body mechanical and hydraulic hoists (component parts only), (39) tachometers, (40) doors and door hardware, (41) marker, clearance and identification lamps, spot lamps (internally controlled only), fog lamps and back-up lamps, (42) fuses and flares, (43) signaling devices, (44) reflex reflectors, (45) windshield defrosters, (46) truck and bus traction sanders.

(iii) In addition, but only for passenger carriers and motorized fire equipment: (47) body structural repair parts, (48) sash, (49) destination signs, (50)

fare boxes, (51) guards and grab rails, (52) door-operating mechanisms, (53) heating and ventilating equipment.

(2) "Rebuilt or reconditioned parts" means any replacement parts (defined in paragraph (a) (1) above) which have been used and restored for use through rebuilding or reconditioning operations.

(3) "Parts consumed in use" means those parts whose function in the operation of the vehicle results in a dissipation or deterioration of material, either in whole or in part, so that the residue has little or no salvage value.

(4) "Ignition contacts" means tungsten tipped parts such as screws, rivets, levers, arms or discs which are components of ignition circuit breaker assemblies.

(5) "Passenger automobile" means any passenger vehicle, including station wagons and taxicabs propelled by an internal combustion engine and having a seating capacity of less than eleven (11) persons.

(6) "Light truck" means a complete motor truck or truck-tractor with a gross vehicle weight rating of less than 9,000 pounds, as authorized by the manufacturer thereof, or the chassis therefor.

(7) "Medium and heavy motor truck" means a complete motor truck or truck-tractor with a gross vehicle weight rating of 9,000 pounds or more, as authorized by the manufacturer thereof, or the chassis therefor.

(8) "Truck trailer" means a complete semi-trailer or full trailer designed for transportation of property or persons, or the chassis therefor.

(9) "Passenger carrier" means a complete motor coach for passenger transportation, having a seating capacity of not less than eleven (11) persons.

(10) "Off-the-highway motor vehicle" means a motor truck, truck-tractor or trailer, operating off the public highway, normally on rubber tires and specially designed to transport materials, property or equipment on mining, construction, logging or petroleum development projects, or the chassis therefor.

(11) "Motorized fire equipment" means the chassis of a passenger automobile, light, medium or heavy motor truck, truck-tractor or trailer, used for the transportation of fire-fighting personnel or equipment.

(12) "Producer" means any individual, partnership, association, corporation, or other form of business enterprise engaged in the manufacture of replacement parts, as defined in paragraph (a) (1) above.

(13) "Supplier" means a person who supplies a producer with materials or component parts for the production or assembly of replacement parts.

(14) "Distributor" means any person not a producer or supplier whose business consists, in whole or in part, of the sale of replacement parts, as defined in paragraph (a) (1) above, from inventory. Distributor includes wholesalers, jobbers, dealers, retailers and other persons performing a similar function including garages and service stations.

(15) "Consumer" means the owner or operator of the automotive vehicle for which replacement parts are required, or the user of such replacement parts for

any other purpose, not including the Army or Navy of the United States, the United States Maritime Commission, and other agencies listed in paragraph (p) (1) below.

(16) "Inventory" means a stock of new replacement parts held by a distributor for his own account. Inventory does not include any new replacement parts held on consignment or any "as is", rebuilt, reconditioned or reconditionable parts.

*Provisions Relating to Production*

(b) *Production of certain parts to be made as if orders were rated AA-1 and others AA-2X.* Notwithstanding the provisions of Priorities Regulation No. 1, Part 944, replacement parts, for medium and heavy motor trucks, truck trailers, passenger carriers, off-the-highway motor vehicles and motorized fire equipment, enumerated in paragraph (a) (1), except items (41) to (46) inclusive, must be produced as if the orders therefor bore a preference rating of AA-1. Replacement parts, for passenger automobiles and light trucks, enumerated in paragraph (a) (i) and also items (41) to (46) inclusive, must be produced as if the orders therefor bore a preference rating of AA-2X.

(c) *Special provision for production of truck and bus replacement parts.* (1) To provide for production of automotive replacement parts (except parts for passenger automobiles) on orders for civilian use and on other orders to make automotive parts as Class B products, Priorities and CMP Regulations may be disregarded to the following extent: A producer of automotive parts whose facilities scheduled to produce a particular part are scheduled 95% or more for Class A production during a month, may schedule up to 5% of those facilities during the month for production of that part (or any other parts) to fill Class B orders for civilian or other use. In computing the 5% of the facilities referred to above, the term "facilities" means productive man-hours or productive machine-hours, or both. The calculation may be made on the basis of calendar months or of any successive periods of one month each beginning at any time.

(2) Whenever it appears to a producer that production under this paragraph (c) will result in serious interference with the production of orders for the Armed Services, he shall immediately notify the Automotive Division, War Production Board, in order that adjustments may be at once considered.

(3) No production under this paragraph (c) shall be allowed to interfere with any "frozen" schedule of Component Consumption Requirements issued under Order L-1-e or any other "frozen" schedule, as defined in Priorities Regulation No. 18.

(4) As the purpose of this paragraph (c) is primarily to secure additional critical replacement parts for commercial or civilian use, production must be made of those parts which are actually critical, against back orders where they exist.

NOTE: Paragraphs (d) through (s), formerly (c) through (r), redesignated April 12, 1944.

(d) *Correction of critical shortages.* Whenever the War Production Board determines that a critical shortage exists in respect to replacement parts, the Board may order any producer or supplier to schedule and deliver his production in such manner as will relieve the shortage; and in addition, may direct any producer or distributor to deliver or sell to any other person, at regularly established prices and terms, such quantities of replacement parts available for civilian distribution as the War Production Board may determine.

(e) *Production restricted to enumerated replacement parts; use of critical materials.* (1) No producer shall manufacture any parts for use in the repair, maintenance or improvement of passenger automobiles, light, medium and heavy trucks, truck trailers, passenger carriers, off-the-highway motor vehicles or motorized fire equipment except the items, and their components, enumerated in paragraph (a) (1) above as items (1) to (53) inclusive.

(2) In the production of such parts no materials shall be used which are prohibited by any orders, regulations or other restrictions on the use of critical materials now or hereafter issued by the War Production Board.

*Standardization and Simplification Provisions*

(f) *Pistons and bearings.* On and after November 15, 1943, producers shall make replacement pistons, piston pins, piston rings and engine bearings as components of engines, only according to the following standards:

(1) Pistons as components of engines only in standard sizes and the following oversizes: .005, .020, .030, .040, .060 and semi-finished.

(2) Piston pins as components of engines only in standard sizes and the following oversizes: .003, .005, .010.

(3) Piston rings as components of engines only in standard sizes and the following oversizes: .005, .020, .030, .040, .060; and in addition, for medium and heavy trucks and busses, .080, .100.

(4) Engine bearings as components of engines only in standard sizes and the following undersizes: .002, .010, .020, .030, .040, .060, .090 and semi-finished. In addition, connecting rod bearings with oversize outside diameter, and the "special length Ford main bearings".

(g) *Ignition contracts.* On and after December 1, 1943, all discs cut from tungsten contact rod for ignition contacts for all vehicles shall be cut to a thickness not exceeding .030 inch, plus a tolerance of .002 inch.

*Provisions Relating to Distributors' Inventories*

(h) *Restrictions on distributors' inventories.* (1) No distributor of replacement parts whose place of business is located in the eastern or central war time zone shall accept delivery of new replacement parts which, in combination with his existing inventory of new replacement parts, measured in total dollar cost value, will exceed a sixty-day (60) supply. Sixty-day supply means a supply in dollar cost value equal to the distributor's total sales, at his cost, of such new parts in the preceding two months period.

(2) No distributor of replacement parts whose place of business is located in any other war time zone shall accept delivery of new replacement parts which, in combination with his existing inventory of new replacement parts, measured in total dollar cost value, will exceed a ninety-day (90) supply. Ninety-day supply means a supply in dollar cost value equal to the distributor's total sales, at his cost, of such new parts in the preceding three months period.

(3) Irrespective of the restrictions in subparagraphs (1) and (2) above, a distributor may accept delivery of specific items of replacement parts even though his inventory then exceeds, or will by reason of such acceptance exceed, his maximum permissible inventory as specified in subparagraphs (1) and (2) above. The quantity of such specific items in dollar cost value shall not exceed the dollar cost value of his sales of such items during the preceding thirty days or the last thirty-day period in which a sale was made if the distributor is located in the eastern or central war time zones, and forty-five days in all other zones.

(i) *Return of new replacement parts.* New replacement parts, returned by a distributor to another distributor, if not included in the inventory of the person receiving the parts during the calendar quarter in which received shall be included in his inventory in the next succeeding calendar quarter.

(j) *Disposition of traded-in used parts.* No distributor may keep in his inventory, in his possession or under his control any used replacement parts which have been traded in and cannot be reconditioned for a period of more than thirty (30) days after they have been determined to be unserviceable, but he must dispose of them through customary disposal or scrap channels. Traded-in parts which can be reconditioned must be reconditioned, or returned to be reconditioned, as quickly as minimum quantities will permit.

(1) *Traded-in ignition contact points to be reclaimed.* As tungsten is a highly critical material, traded-in ignition contact points must be saved for possible reclamation. Therefore, they may not be scrapped. Where distributors can not reclaim the tungsten contacts for reuse, they must return them through normal trade channels to producers or suppliers for reclamation.

*Provisions Relating to Distribution*

(k) *No preference ratings required for delivery of replacement parts for resale.* No producer or distributor shall require any preference ratings for the purchase or the delivery of finished replacement parts for resale as such, except on Army, Navy, Maritime Commission and War Shipping Administration orders as provided in paragraph (m). All deliveries of such parts for resale or to consumers may be made as if the orders therefor bore the preference ratings assigned to their production in paragraph (b), and without regard to orders bearing a lower rating. In addition, the provisions of this paragraph are applicable to orders for finished parts required for rebuilding or reconditioning operations.

(l) *Parts for emergency repairs.*—(1) *How to order parts.* Notwithstanding the provisions of paragraph (h) above, a distributor may order and accept delivery of replacement parts which he does not have in stock when required by a consumer for the emergency repair of a particular vehicle which cannot be operated without such parts. In such emergency, a distributor must file with his order to the producer a certificate in the following form:

CERTIFICATE FOR EMERGENCY REPAIR ORDER  
AUTOMOTIVE REPLACEMENT PARTS

The undersigned purchaser certifies, subject to criminal penalties for misrepresentation, that the replacement parts specified in the attached order are essential for the repair of the following vehicle, which cannot now be operated without such parts:

Make \_\_\_\_\_ Engine number \_\_\_\_\_  
Signed \_\_\_\_\_  
(Firm, partnership or corporation)  
By \_\_\_\_\_  
(Name and title of individual)  
Dated: \_\_\_\_\_ Address of firm, partnership or corporation.

A copy of the certificate must be retained by the distributor issuing it as a part of his records.

(2) *Emergency repair orders take preference.* A producer receiving an order accompanied by a Certificate for Emergency Repair must give such order precedence in shipment over other orders not of an emergency nature.

(3) *Use of certificate restricted.* The Certificate for Emergency Repair may be used only to secure essential replacement parts for emergency repairs as described in this paragraph (l). It must not under any circumstances be used by a distributor to replenish his stock.

(m) *Preference ratings of AA-2X or higher required on sales by distributors to army, navy and maritime commission.* Irrespective of the provisions of this order, no distributor shall sell or deliver any replacement parts, as enumerated in paragraph (a) (1) above, to the Army or Navy of the United States, the United States Maritime Commission, or the War Shipping Administration except upon receipt of an order bearing a preference rating of AA-2X or higher.

(1) *Additional provisions for army orders.* Purchase orders for replacement parts (except parts for "post exchange" vehicles) submitted to distributors by the Army must specify, in accordance with War Department instructions, the type, manufacturer, model and United States Army registration number of vehicles covered by the purchase order; and must carry a certification that such vehicles are "dead-lined" for emergency repair. Delivery by distributors of replacement parts against such orders for the Army must be limited to replacement parts in distributors' inventory available for immediate delivery.

(n) *Restrictions on sales to consumers.*—(1) *No sale of new parts where old part can be rebuilt or reconditioned.* No new replacement part shall be sold or delivered to a consumer to replace a part which the producer or distributor can rebuild or recondition by use of available local reconditioning facilities.

(2) *Used part to be turned in.* No producer or distributor shall sell or deliver any replacement part either new, used or rebuilt, to a consumer unless the consumer turns in to the producer or distributor, concurrently with his purchase, a used replacement part of similar kind and size for each such replacement part delivered to the consumer. However, a used replacement part need not be turned in in the following cases:

(i) Where the used part has been consumed in use, lost or stolen;

(ii) Where the used part is a cab assembly;

(iii) Where the consumer is a Federal or Territorial Department, Bureau or Agency, or a State or political subdivision thereof, which is forbidden by law from making such disposal of replacement parts;

(iv) Where the new or rebuilt part is ordered by telephone, telegraph or mail, or is to be installed by the purchaser.

(v) Where the new part to be purchased by the consumer will improve the efficiency of the vehicle, its capacity or usefulness, such parts being as follows: for all vehicles—oil filters; for medium and heavy trucks, truck trailers, passenger carriers, off-the-highway motor vehicles and motorized fire and police equipment—auxiliary springs, trailer connections, brakes, fifth wheels, auxiliary fuel tanks, governors, landing gears, heavy duty generators, auxiliary transmissions, power take-offs, heavy duty trailer axles, wheels and rims which do not increase tire sizes, marker, clearance and identification lamps, spot lamps (internally controlled only), fog lamps and backup lamps, signaling devices, reflex reflectors, windshield defrosters, truck and bus traction sanders.

(3) *Use of consumer's certificates.* In any of the cases provided for in subparagraphs (2) (i), (ii), (iv), and (v) above, in which the consumer is not required to turn in a used part, he must sign and deliver to the producer or distributor concurrently with each purchase, or on the written confirmation thereof if the order is placed by telephone or telegraph, a Consumer's Certificate in the following form:

CONSUMER'S CERTIFICATE  
AUTOMOTIVE REPLACEMENT PARTS

The undersigned purchaser certifies, subject to criminal penalties for misrepresentation, that: (a) the replacement parts covered by this certificate are essential for the maintenance, repair or improvement of equipment he now owns or operates; (b) these parts will be used to replace parts which, to the best of his knowledge, cannot be rebuilt or reconditioned by use of available facilities; and (c) he will, within thirty days after receiving the parts, dispose of the old parts, if any through scrap channels.

(Signed) \_\_\_\_\_

Vehicle owner or operator.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_

The foregoing Consumer's Certificate must be retained by the producer or distributor making the sale to the consumer as part of his records.

(4) *Emergency stocks for truck and passenger carrier fleet operators.* On and after December 31, 1943, any owner or operator of a fleet of twenty-five (25) or more medium or heavy trucks, passenger carriers or off-the-highway motor vehicles may, without turning in a similar used part or filing a Consumer's Certificate, purchase engines, less starting, ignition and fuel systems; transmission assemblies; and rear axle assemblies; in quantities not exceeding one each such part for every twenty-five (25) vehicles, or multiples of twenty-five (25) which he maintains in service currently licensed.

## Miscellaneous Provisions

(o) *Applicability of War Production Board regulations.* This order and all transactions affected thereby are subject to all applicable provisions of the regulations of the War Production Board as amended from time to time except where otherwise stated.

(p) *Exceptions to applicability of this order.* (1) The terms and restrictions of this order, except as provided for in paragraph (d) and (m) above, shall not apply to any replacement parts sold to or produced under contracts or orders for delivery to or for the account of the Army or Navy of the United States, the United States Maritime Commission, the War Shipping Administration, the Panama Canal, the Coast and Geodetic Survey, the Civil Aeronautics Administration, the National Advisory Committee for Aeronautics, the Offices of Scientific Research and Development.

(2) The terms and restrictions of this order entitled Provisions Relating to Distributors' Inventories and Provisions Relating to Distribution shall not apply to any person located outside of the forty-eight (48) states and the District of Columbia.

(q) *Violations.* Any person who wilfully violates any provision of this order, or who, in connection with this order, wilfully conceals a material fact, or furnishes false information to any department or agency of the United States, is guilty of a crime, and upon conviction may be punished by fine or imprisonment. In addition, any such person may be prohibited from making or obtaining further deliveries of, or from processing

or using, materials under priority control and may be deprived of priorities assistance.

(r) *Appeals.* Any appeal from the provisions of this order shall be made by filing a letter in triplicate with the Field Office of the War Production Board nearest the appellant's place of business, referring to the particular provision appealed from and stating fully the grounds for appeal.

(s) *Communications.* All communications concerning this order shall, unless otherwise directed, be addressed to: War Production Board, Automotive Division, Washington 25, D. C., Ref.: Order L-158.

Issued this 12th day of April 1944.

WAR PRODUCTION BOARD,  
By J. JOSEPH WHELAN,  
Recording Secretary.

INTERPRETATION 1

RESIZING OF ENGINE PISTONS AND BEARINGS BY PRODUCERS' BRANCHES

The question of resizing engine pistons and bearings in the field to sizes other than those specified in paragraphs (f) (1) and (f) (4), respectively, of § 3292.46, Limitation Order L-158, has been the subject of some uncertainty in the industry. In order to clarify the order, with respect to the intent of these paragraphs, the following interpretation is hereby issued:

Producers' direct factory branches of warehouses, wholly owned or controlled by them, may finish engine pistons and bearings to any intermediate sizes not specified in paragraphs (f) (1) and (f) (4), respectively, of Limitation Order L-158, when ordered from the factory branch by a customer for immediate use in a specific engine. None of these intermediate sizes may be ordered from a factory branch for stock or to be held in inventory. A certificate for emergency order, as provided for in Order L-158, paragraph (1), should accompany each order placed with the factory branch for the intermediate sizes other than those specified in the paragraphs mentioned above, as a means of identifying the need for the part in a specific vehicle. (Issued Oct. 1, 1943.)

INTERPRETATION 2

PRODUCTION OF DECORATIVE HUB CAPS, WHEEL CAPS AND WHEEL TRIM RINGS NOT PERMITTED UNDER ORDER L-158

Hub caps, wheel caps and wheel trim rings which serve only as ornamental or decorative items are not considered components of wheels, Item (8), paragraph (a) (1) (1) of Limitation Order L-158, as amended November 13, 1943. Consequently, they may not be produced. However, hub caps which serve as grease retainers are considered components of wheels and may be produced. (Issued Dec. 29, 1943.)

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PART 3292—AUTOMOTIVE VEHICLES, PARTS AND EQUIPMENT

[Limitation Order L-158, Direction 1 as Amended Apr. 12, 1944]

ARMY ORDERS FOR REPLACEMENT PARTS

The following direction is issued pursuant to Limitation Order L-158:

Purchase orders for replacement parts submitted by the Army to distributors under

paragraph (m) (1) of Order L-158 need include neither the registration number of the vehicle nor a certification that the vehicle is deadlined for emergency repair if the Army certifies instead that the registration number is unavailable and that a survey for the parts, necessary to effect immediate shipment to fill a shortage of essential items for an overseas theater, has been made on Army stocks under War Department Circular No. 209, dated September 13, 1943.

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PART 3293—CHEMICALS

[Conservation Order M-332, as Amended April 12, 1944]

OILS FOR PROTECTIVE COATINGS

The fulfillment of requirements for the defense of the United States has created a shortage in the supply of oils for defense, for private account and for export; and the following order is deemed necessary and appropriate in the public interest and to promote the national defense.

§ 3293.466 Conservation Order M-332—(a) *Definitions.* (1) "Oils" means all the raw, crude, refined, and pressed oils, whether vegetable, animal, fish, or other marine animal, excepting mineral oil and tall oil.

(2) "Linseed oil" means the oil, crushed, pressed or otherwise extracted from flaxseed, whether raw, bodied or otherwise processed. The term includes linseed oil blended with other oils, whatever the proportion of linseed oil used.

(3) "Fish oil" means the oil produced by the reduction of the whole or any part, including the offal of the sardine, pilchard, and menhaden, whether raw, bodied or otherwise processed. The term includes fish oil blended with other oils, whatever the proportion of fish oil used.

(4) "Manufacturer" means a person who uses oils in the manufacture of any other product, but does not include a painter, householder or other person who uses oils as a reducer for paint or varnish.

(5) "Processor" means any person who blends, bodies or otherwise processes linseed oil or fish oil.

(6) "Crusher" means any person who presses, expels or extracts linseed oil from flaxseed or who presses, expels or extracts fish oil from the sardine, pilchard or menhaden.

(7) "Wholesaler" means a person who buys linseed or fish oil from a crusher or processor and without further processing resells such oils to manufacturers or retailers.

(8) "Retailer" is any person who sells linseed oil or fish oil to the ultimate consumer.

(b) *Restrictions on use.* (1) On and after July 1, 1943, no manufacturer shall use in the production of any of the following products more pounds of oils per gallon of such product than the following:

	Pounds
Class #1—Flats including interior emulsion paints	1.2
Class #2—Semi-gloss paints	1.75
Class #3—Interior gloss paints (except gloss mill-whites) interior enamels, combination interior-exterior floor enamels, combination interior-exterior household enamels, machinery enamels, and interior aluminum paints	3.0
Class #4—Gloss mill-whites for industrial maintenance	3.0
Class #5—Wall primers and undercoaters	2.0
Class #6—Interior varnishes, including clear floor sealers, and combination interior-exterior varnishes	2.3
Class #7—Exterior paints including aluminum paints (except black and graphite paints)	3.75
Class #8—Structural steel finishes (except black and graphite)	3.75
Class #9—All black paints and graphite paints	5.0
Class #10—Exterior enamels and exterior varnishes (intended exclusively for exterior work)	3.25
Class #11—Exterior emulsion paints	2.0

NOTE: The above classes include both paste and ready-mixed paints. Table amended April 12, 1944.

For the purposes of this paragraph (b) (1), all oils shall be considered interchangeable.

(2) The provisions of paragraph (b) (1) are not applicable to the use of oils in the manufacture of paints, varnishes and lacquers delivered or to be delivered to, or used on or incorporated in material and equipment delivered or to be delivered to, the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, or Coast Guard of the United States, the United States Maritime Commission or the War Shipping Administration, or delivered pursuant to the Act of March 11, 1941 (Lend-Lease Act), or for the military, naval or maritime requirements of the United Nations where the manufacturer claiming exemption receives from the Director of Food Distribution, War Food Administration, specific exemption pursuant to paragraph (b) (5) (iii) of Food Distribution Order No. 42 with respect to such use.

(c) *Restrictions on deliveries.* (1) On and after July 1, 1943, no crusher, processor, manufacturer or wholesaler, shall deliver to any other person linseed oil or fish oil having a non-volatile content of more than seventy per cent (70%), by weight.

(2) The restrictions of paragraph (c) (1) shall not apply to:

(i) Deliveries to another crusher, processor, manufacturer or wholesaler.

(ii) Deliveries for medicinal or pharmaceutical purposes or for human or animal consumption.

(iii) Deliveries of linseed oil or fish oil packaged in containers of one pint or less.

(iv) Deliveries by any person of linseed oil or fish oil which on July 1, 1943, and at the time of the delivery was packaged in unopened five-gallon cans or smaller owned by the person making delivery.

(v) Deliveries by any person of boiled linseed oil which on July 1, 1943, and at the time of delivery was packaged in 55-gallon drums or smaller containers and was on both such dates owned by him.

(vi) Deliveries by any wholesaler of raw linseed oil (in no case in a quantity exceeding 1375 gallons) which on July 1, 1943, was packaged in unopened drums or containers having a capacity of more than 8 gallons but not more than 55 gallons and was on both such dates either owned by him or in his possession on consignment from a crusher or processor.

(vii) Deliveries to the Army, Navy, Marine Corps or Coast Guard of the United States, the United States Maritime Commission, the War Shipping Administration, or pursuant to the Act of March 11, 1941 (Lend-Lease Act), or deliveries of such linseed oil or fish oil to be used on or incorporated in material and equipment delivered or to be delivered to the services or agencies mentioned in this subdivision (vii) or pursuant to the Act of March 11, 1941 (Lend-Lease Act).

(3) No person shall deliver or sell any material represented to be "linseed replacement oil" unless such material meets the requirements of Federal Specification TT-O-371 as amended from time to time.

(d) *Other orders.* The restrictions herein set forth are in addition to those imposed by Food Distribution Order No. 42 and such other orders as have been or may be issued by the War Food Administration with respect to oils.

(e) *Miscellaneous provisions—(1) Applicability of regulations.* This order and all transactions affected thereby are subject to all applicable regulations of War Production Board, as amended from time to time.

(2) *Appeals.* Any appeal from the provisions of this order shall be made by filing a letter in triplicate, referring to the particular provisions appealed from and stating fully the grounds of the appeal.

(3) *Violations.* Any person who wilfully violates any provision of this order, or who, in connection with this order, wilfully conceals a material fact or furnishes false information to any department or agency of the United States is guilty of a crime, and upon conviction may be punished by fine or imprisonment. In addition, any such person may be prohibited from making or obtaining further deliveries of, or from processing or using, material under priority control and may be deprived of priorities assistance.

(4) *Communications to War Production Board.* All reports required to be filed hereunder, and all communications concerning this order, shall, unless otherwise directed, be addressed to: War Production Board, Chemicals Division, Washington 25, D. C. Ref.: M-332.

Issued this 12th day of April 1944.

WAR PRODUCTION BOARD,  
By J. JOSEPH WHELAN,  
Recording Secretary.

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#### Chapter XI—Office of Price Administration

##### PART 1364—FRESH, CURED AND CANNED MEAT AND FISH PRODUCTS

[MPR 418, Amdt. 30]

###### FRESH FISH AND SEAFOOD

A statement of the considerations involved in the issuance of this amendment has been issued simultaneously herewith and filed with the Division of the Federal Register.\*

Maximum Price Regulation No. 418 is amended in the following respects:

1. Section 4 (b) is amended to read as follows:

(b) *Sale by a cash and carry wholesaler.* A sale by a cash and carry wholesaler is any sale by a person to an individual retail store or purveyor of meals other than a service and delivery sale as defined in section 4 (c).

2. Section 4 (c) is amended to read as follows:

(c) *Sale by a service and delivery wholesaler.* A sale by a service and delivery wholesaler is a sale of fresh fish or seafood to a retailer or purveyor of meals, which fish or seafood is delivered by means other than a common carrier from the seller's established place of doing business to the individual retail store or established place of doing business of the purveyor of meals.

3. Section 13 (c) is amended to read as follows:

(c) Every person making a sale of any fresh fish or seafood subject to this regulation shall furnish to the purchaser at the time of delivery a written statement setting forth the date; the name and address of the buyer and seller; the species sold; a notation that the fish or sea-

food is fresh; the quantity, sizes, grades and styles of dressing of fresh fish and seafood, and the price charged therefor, including a separate statement of the container cost, if any, as provided in section 19, and transportation cost, if any, as provided in section 7. If the statement furnished a purchaser at the time of delivery does not identify the size, grade and style of dressing, the maximum price which may be charged for the fresh fish and seafood involved in the sale is the maximum price for the lowest priced size, grade and style of dressing of the species of fresh fish and seafood sold. If the seller fails to note on the statement that the fish or seafood is fresh, and if a price is listed in Maximum Price Regulation No. 364 for the species in the particular style of dressing or processing sold, the maximum price which may be charged for the fish or seafood involved in the sale is the lower of the prices listed in Maximum Price Regulation No. 364 and this Maximum Price Regulation No. 418: *Provided*, That this paragraph shall not apply to any sales made at prices listed in Table A in section 20.

4. In section 18, after the definition of "Round" the following definition is inserted:

"Saddles" means the pectoral fins and the connecting cartilaginous strip of a raja fish.

5. In section 18, after the definition of "Troll caught" the following definition is inserted:

"Wings" means the pectoral fins of a raja fish.

6. In section 20, Table A, Schedule Nos. 4 and 6 are amended and Schedule No. 65 is added to read as follows:

TABLE A—MAXIMUM PRICES FOR PRODUCERS OF FRESH FISH AND SEAFOOD

Schedule No.	Name	Item No.	Style of dressing	Size	Price per pound			
					Bulk ex-vessel	Boxed	Bulk ex-vessel	Boxed
4.....	Blackback (Pseudo-pleuronectes). <sup>1</sup>	1	Round....	All sizes.....	\$0.07	\$0.08	\$0.10	\$0.11
6.....	Yellowtail (Limanda ferruginea). <sup>1</sup>	1	Round....	All sizes.....	\$0.04½	\$0.05½	\$0.06½	\$0.07½
65.....	Raja fish (Skates) (Genus raja).	1	Round....	All sizes.....	Apr. - Sept.		Oct. - Mar.	
		2	Saddles....	All sizes.....	Jan. through Dec.		Bulk ex-vessel	
		3	Wings....	All sizes.....	\$0.01	.02½	\$0.03½	.04½

7. In section 20, Table B, the reference to footnote 37 is added to Item No. 2 of Schedule No. 13.

8. In section 20, Table B, the reference to footnote 37 is added to Item No. 2 of Schedule No. 14.

9. In section 20, Table B, Schedule Nos. 4, 5 and 6 are amended and Schedule No. 65 is added to read as follows:

\*Copies may be obtained from the Office of Price Administration.

<sup>1</sup>8 F.R. 9366, 10086, 10513, 10939, 11734, 11687, 12468, 12233, 12688, 13297, 13182, 13302, 14049, 14475, 14616, 15257, 15430, 16131, 16293, 16296; 9 F.R. 90, 1325, 1532, 1575, 2183, 2408.

TABLE B—MAXIMUM PRICES FOR PRIMARY FISH SHIPPER SALES OF FRESH FISH AND SEAFOOD

Schedule No.	Name	Item No.	Style of dressing	Size	Price per pound		Item No.	Name	Style of dressing	Size	Price per pound	
					Apr.-Nov.	Dec.-Mar.						
4.....	Blackback (Pseudopleuronectes Americanus).	1	Round	All sizes.....	\$0.06	\$0.11 <sup>1/2</sup>	4.....	Blackback (Pseudopleuronectes Americanus).	1	Round	All sizes.....	Apr.-Mar.
		2	Dressed.....	All sizes.....	.11 <sup>1/2</sup>	.15 <sup>1/2</sup>			2	Dressed	All sizes.....	\$0.10
		3	Fillets.....	All sizes.....	.24 <sup>1/2</sup>	.31 <sup>1/2</sup>			3	Fillets	All sizes.....	.14
5.....	Dab, sea (Hippoglossoides platessoides).	1	Round	All sizes.....	\$0.05 <sup>1/2</sup>	\$0.07 <sup>1/2</sup>	5.....	Dab, sea (Hippoglossoides platessoides).	1	Round	All sizes.....	Apr.-Mar.
		2	Dressed.....	All sizes.....	.08 <sup>1/2</sup>	.11			2	Dressed	All sizes.....	.07 <sup>1/2</sup>
		3	Fillets.....	All sizes.....	.24 <sup>1/2</sup>	.31 <sup>1/2</sup>			3	Fillets	All sizes.....	.14
6.....	Yellowtail (Limanda ferruginea).	1	Round	All sizes.....	\$0.07 <sup>1/2</sup>	\$0.07 <sup>1/2</sup>	6.....	Yellowtail (Limanda ferruginea).	1	Round	All sizes.....	Apr.-Sep.
		2	Dressed.....	All sizes.....	.05 <sup>1/2</sup>	.07 <sup>1/2</sup>			2	Dressed	All sizes.....	.07 <sup>1/2</sup>
		3	Fillets.....	All sizes.....	.08 <sup>1/2</sup>	.11			3	Fillets	All sizes.....	.10 <sup>1/2</sup>
65.....	Rajafish (Skates) (Genus raja).	1	Round	All sizes.....	\$0.02	\$0.02	65.....	Rajafish (Skates) (Genus raja).	1	Round	All sizes.....	Oct.-Mar.
		2	Saddles.....	All sizes.....	.03 <sup>1/2</sup>	.03 <sup>1/2</sup>			2	Saddles	All sizes.....	.09 <sup>1/2</sup>
		3	Wings.....	All sizes.....	.04 <sup>1/2</sup>	.05 <sup>1/2</sup>			3	Wings	All sizes.....	.09 <sup>1/2</sup>

10. Footnote 37 is added at the end of Table B in section 20 to read as follows:

<sup>w</sup> Canning prices listed for these fillets apply only if they are wrapped and marked as gray sole or lemon sole, whichever is the case; otherwise the applicable ceiling prices are those listed for Item No. 3 of Schedule No. 6.

11. In section 20, Table C, Schedules Nos. 4, 5 and 6 are amended and Schedule No. 65 is added to read as follows:

TABLE C—MAXIMUM PRICES FOR RETAILER-OWNED COOPERATIVE SALES AND SALES BY WHOLESALERS OTHER THAN PRIMARY FISH SHIPPER WHOLESALERS TO OTHER WHOLESALERS OF FRESH FISH AND SEAFOOD

Schedule No.	Name	Item No.	Style of dressing	Size	Price per pound		Item No.	Name	Style of dressing	Size	Price per pound	
					Apr.-Nov.	Dec.-Mar.						
4.....	Blackback (Pseudopleuronectes Americanus).	1	Round	All sizes.....	\$0.06	\$0.12 <sup>1/2</sup>	4.....	Blackback (Pseudopleuronectes Americanus).	1	Round	All sizes.....	Apr.-Sep.
		2	Dressed.....	All sizes.....	.13	.17			2	Dressed	All sizes.....	.16 <sup>1/2</sup>
		3	Fillets.....	All sizes.....	.26 <sup>1/2</sup>	.34			3	Fillets	All sizes.....	.27 <sup>1/2</sup>
5.....	Dab, sea (Hippoglossoides platessoides).	1	Round	All sizes.....	\$0.06 <sup>1/2</sup>	\$0.08 <sup>1/2</sup>	5.....	Dab, sea (Hippoglossoides platessoides).	1	Round	All sizes.....	Apr.-Oct.
		2	Dressed.....	All sizes.....	.09 <sup>1/2</sup>	.12 <sup>1/2</sup>			2	Dressed	All sizes.....	.10 <sup>1/2</sup>
		3	Fillets.....	All sizes.....	.20 <sup>1/2</sup>	.34 <sup>1/2</sup>			3	Fillets	All sizes.....	.13 <sup>1/2</sup>
6.....	Yellowtail (Limanda ferruginea).	1	Round	All sizes.....	\$0.05 <sup>1/2</sup>	\$0.06 <sup>1/2</sup>	6.....	Yellowtail (Limanda ferruginea).	1	Round	All sizes.....	Oct.-Mar.
		2	Dressed.....	All sizes.....	.06 <sup>1/2</sup>	.08 <sup>1/2</sup>			2	Dressed	All sizes.....	.10 <sup>1/2</sup>
		3	Fillets.....	All sizes.....	.10 <sup>1/2</sup>	.15 <sup>1/2</sup>			3	Fillets	All sizes.....	.13 <sup>1/2</sup>
65.....	Rajafish (Skates) (Genus raja).	1	Round	All sizes.....	\$0.02	\$0.02	65.....	Rajafish (Skates) (Genus raja).	1	Round	All sizes.....	Jan.-through Dec.
		2	Saddles.....	All sizes.....	.04 <sup>1/2</sup>	.05 <sup>1/2</sup>			2	Saddles	All sizes.....	.09 <sup>1/2</sup>
		3	Wings.....	All sizes.....	.05 <sup>1/2</sup>	.06 <sup>1/2</sup>			3	Wings	All sizes.....	.09 <sup>1/2</sup>

12. Footnote 15 following Table C in section 20 is amended to read as follows:

<sup>w</sup> All footnotes made applicable to particular species of fish in Table A, except footnotes 26, 28 and 29; and footnotes 21, 22, 27 and 37 made applicable to particular species of fish in Table B, are also applicable to the same species in Table C in section 20.

13. In section 20, Table D, Schedules Nos. 4, 5 and 6 are amended and Schedule No. 65 is added to read as follows:

14. Footnote 16 following Table D in section 20 is amended to read as follows:

<sup>w</sup> All footnotes made applicable to particular species of fish in Table A, except footnotes 26, 28 and 29; footnotes 21, 22, 27 and 37 made applicable to particular species of fish in Table B; and footnote 30 made applicable to particular species of seafood in Table C are also applicable to the same species in Table D in section 20.

This amendment shall become effective April 17, 1944.

(56 Stat. 23, 765; Pub. Law 151, 78th Cong.; E.O. 9250, 7 F.R. 7871; E.O. 9328, 8 F.R. 4681)

Issued this 11th day of April 1944.

JAMES F. BROWNLEE,  
Acting Administrator.

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## PART 1365—HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE

[2d Rev. MPR 213, 1 Amdt. 1]

## NEW COIL AND FLAT BEDSPRINGS

A statement of considerations involved in the issuance of this amendment, issued simultaneously herewith, has been filed with the Division of the Federal Register.\*

(a) Section 17, Appendix A of Second Revised Maximum Price Regulation No. 213 is amended to read as follows:

## APPENDIX A

This appendix sets forth the specifications and maximum prices for certain basic models of new coil and flat bedsprings. All weights, sizes and dimensions of the parts are minimum only and may be exceeded providing the resulting articles comply with orders of the War Production Board.

(a) *General construction specifications.* All specifications listed are for a full 4' 6" size bedspring. Other sizes shall be identical as to material specifications and shall be assembled with the same arrangement and spacing of parts as the 4' 6" size bedspring. The basic bedspring models set forth below shall be so constructed that:

All coils and helicals shall be high carbon spring steel wire.

All crimps, wire slats, and cable shall be Bessemer or low carbon steel wire.

All border wire shall be Bessemer steel rod or low carbon steel.

All angles, tubes, risers and flat stock shall be rerolled rail steel or secondary grade billets.

All wood frame members shall be of maple, oak, ash or wood of equivalent strength and serviceability.

All joints in coil bedspring wood frames shall be mortise and tenon, or notched and lap joint construction.

Flat bedspring wood frames shall be adequately braced and assembled with carriage bolts or other suitable fasteners.

(b) *Particular minimum specifications and maximum prices.* The F. O. B. factory L. C. L. maximum price, and the cash retail maximum price is set forth opposite the particular minimum specifications of each basic bedspring model contained in the table below:

	F. o. b. factory l. c. l. maximum price net 30 days <sup>7</sup>	Cash retail maxi- mum price <sup>8</sup>
Class 101 steel frame, crimp top, coil bed-spring— Coils—single deck 80, 81, 88 or 90, weight 11½ pounds. Top crimps #14½ ga. Border wire #3 ga. Border crimps #14½ ga. Bottom: Continuous angle or four piece angle type. Frame—1" x 1" x 7/16" angle. Slats—4-1" x #12 ga. flat stock, all others #9 ga. wire, or—2-1" x 5/8" x 7/16" angle, all others #9 ga. wire. Lengthwise crimps—#11½ ga. under each row of coils. Finish: oil base paint.	\$4.76	\$9.00
Class 102 steel frame, helical top, coil bed-spring— Coils—single deck 80, 81, 88, or 90, weight 11½ pounds. Helicals #17 ga. Border wire #0 ga. Border crimps #14½ ga. Bottom: Continuous angle or four piece angle type. Frame—1" x 1" x 7/16" angle. Slats—4-1" x #12 ga. flat stock, all others #9 ga. wire, or—2-1" x 5/8" x 7/16" angle, all others #9 ga. wire. Lengthwise crimps—#11½ ga. under each row of coils. Finish: Oil base paint.	\$5.30	\$10.00
Class 103 steel frame, link wire, fabric bed-spring— Fabric: Standard 2" x 4" link wire, #14 ga., or an equivalent fabric, attached to frame by helicals. Edge bands: 5/8" x .032". Frame: Sleigh runner type. Side rails—1 1/4" x 3". End rails—1 1/4" x 3". Elevation blocks—Of a size to produce a rise of 2 1/4". Frame finish: Oil base paint.	4.40	8.50
Class 104 steel frame, cable fabric, flat bed-spring— Fabric: Standard 2" x 4" link, #14 ga., or an equivalent fabric, attached to frame by helicals. Edge bands: 5/8" x .032". Frame: Sleigh runner type. Side rails—1 1/4" O. D. round tube. End rails—2" x 1 1/8" x 3/8" angle. Formed angle riser type. Side rails—1 1/4" x 1 1/8" oval tube, or 1 1/4" round tube. End rails—2" x 1 1/8" x 3/8" angle. Risers—Formed angle. One-piece end rail and riser type. Side rails—1 1/4" round tube. End rails—2" x 1 1/8" x 3/8" angle. Finish: Oil base paint.	5.90	11.00
Class 105 steel frame, band top, flat bed-spring— Fabric: 21 bands 5/8" x .020", assembled by links or helicals, attached to frame by helicals. Edge Bands: 5/8" x .032". Frame: Sleigh runner type. Side rails—1 1/4" O. D. round tube. End rails—2" x 1 1/8" x 3/8" angle. Formed angle riser type. Side rails—1 1/4" x 1 1/8" oval tube, or 1 1/4" round tube. End rails—2" x 1 1/8" x 3/8" angle. Risers—Formed angle. One piece end rail and riser type. Side rails—1 1/4" round tube. End rails 2" x 1 1/8" x 3/8" angle. Finish: Oil base paint.	6.30	12.00
Class 106 wood frame, crimp top, coil bed-spring— Coils: 80, 81, 88 or 90, weight 11½ lbs. Top crimps: #14½ ga. Border wire: #0 ga. Border crimps: #14½ ga. Wood frame: Side rails—1 1/4" x 1 1/4". Cross slats—1 1/4" x 1 1/4" under each row of coils. Bottom crimps: #14½ ga. Frame finish: Oil base paint.	5.45	9.50
Class 107 wood frame, helical top, coil bed-spring— Coils: 80, 81, 88 or 90, weight 11½ lbs. Helicals: #17 ga. Border wire: #0 ga. Border crimps: #14½ ga. Wood frame: Side rails—1 1/4" x 1 1/4". Cross slats—1 1/4" x 1 1/4" under each row of coils. Crimps: Minimum #14½ ga. Frame finish: Oil base paint.	6.00	10.50

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	F. o. b. factory l. c. l. maximum price net 30 days <sup>7</sup>	Cash retail maxi- mum price <sup>8</sup>	F. o. b. factory l. c. l. maximum price net 30 days <sup>7</sup>	Cash retail maxi- mum price <sup>8</sup>
Class 108 wood frame, link wire fabric, flat bedspring— Fabric: Standard 2" x 4" link wire, #14 ga., or an equivalent fabric, attached to frame by helicals. Edge bands: 5/8" x .032". Frame: Side rails—1 1/4" x 3". End rails—1 1/4" x 3". Elevation blocks—Of a size to produce a rise of 2 1/4". Frame finish: Oil base paint.	\$5.45	\$9.50	7.00	12.50
Class 109 wood frame, cable fabric, flat spring— Fabric: 21 double lengths of 7 strand #22 ga. cable, or a cable of equivalent weight assembled by links, attached to end rails by helicals. Edge bands 5/8" x .032" or four lengths of cable close connected. Frame: Side rails—1 1/4" x 3". End rails—1 1/4" x 3". Elevation blocks—Of a size to produce a rise of 2 1/4". Frame finish: Oil base paint.	7.30	13.00	6.60	12.75
Class 110 wood frame, band top, flat bed- spring— Fabric: 21 bands 5/8" x .020" assembled by links or helicals, attached to frame by helicals. Edge bands: 5/8" x .032". Frame: Side rails—1 1/4" x 3". End rails—1 1/4" x 3". Elevation blocks—Of a size to produce a rise of 2 1/4". Frame finish: Oil base paint.	7.00	12.50	7.00	12.50
Class 111 steel frame, helical top, double deck coil bedspring— Coils 88 or 90, double deck close wound or open centers, excepting border coils—weight 18 pounds. Center ties close wound center coils— #11½ ga. wire two-way tie or Open wound center coils—#14 ga. crimp wire four-way tie. Helicals #17 ga. Border wire #0 ga. Border crimps #14½ ga. wire, clips, or equivalent. Bottom: Continuous angle or four piece angle type. Frame—1 1/4" x 1 1/4" x 7/16 ga. or equivalent. Slats—All 1" x #12 ga., 1 1/2" drop. Lengthwise crimps—#11½ ga. Finish: Oil base paint.	6.60	12.75	7.00	12.50
* The f. o. b. factory maximum prices in the Far West Zone shall be determined by adding the following amounts to the corresponding prices as listed. "Far West Zone" for the purpose of this regulation means the states of Arizona, California, Colorado, Idaho, Montana, Nevada, New Mexico, Oregon, Utah, Washington, Wyoming, and the following counties in Texas: El Paso, Hudspeth, Culberson, Jeff Davis, Presidio, Brewster, Terrell, Pecos, and Reeves.				
The class cash retail maximum prices for sales in the Far West Zone shall be determined by adding the following amounts to the corresponding prices listed.				
Class:			F. o. b. factory l. c. l. maxi- mum price	
101-108 inclusive bedspring.....			101-108 inclusive bedspring.....	\$0.50
108-110 inclusive bedspring.....			108-110 inclusive bedspring.....	.30
111 bedspring.....			111 bedspring.....	.75
Class:			Cash retail maxi- mum price	
101-105 inclusive bedspring.....			101-105 inclusive bedspring.....	\$0.85
106-110 inclusive bedspring.....			106-110 inclusive bedspring.....	.50
111 bedspring.....			111 bedspring.....	1.25
(c) <i>Additions to maximum prices in (b) above—(i) Maximum prices for additional features.</i> There may be added to the F. O. B. factory L. C. L. maximum prices and the cash retail maximum prices of the coil bedsprings set forth in (b) above the following:				

	F. o. b. factory l. c. l. maxi- mum price	Cash retail maxi- mum price
For a full platform top.....	\$1.05	\$1.75
For a partial platform top.....	.60	1.
For a pair of wire stabilizers or one band type stabilizer minimum 1" x 12 ga. or equivalent.....	.15	.25

(ii) *Definitions of additional features.* "Full platform top" means the steel bands on top of a coil spring of the following minimum specifications: Platform top to cover the entire coil area (excepting border coils) and to consist of the following number of  $\frac{5}{8}$ " x .020" steel bands:

	Cross bands	Length bands
80 coil bedspring.....	8	6
81 coil bedspring.....	7	7
88 coil bedspring.....	9	6
90 coil bedspring.....	8	7

"Partial platform top" means the steel bands on top of a coil spring of the following minimum specifications: Platform top to extend full length of coil surface (excepting border coils) and to consist of the following number of  $\frac{5}{8}$ " x .020" steel bands.

	Length bands
80 coil bedspring.....	6
81 coil bedspring.....	7
88 coil bedspring.....	6
90 coil bedspring.....	7

Or platform top to extend full width of coil surface (excepting border coils) and to consist of the following number of  $\frac{5}{8}$ " x .020" steel bands:

	Cross bands
80 coil bedspring.....	8
81 coil bedspring.....	7
88 coil bedspring.....	9
90 coil bedspring.....	8

Or platform top to cover  $\frac{1}{3}$  of the coil area of the spring and to consist of the following number of  $\frac{5}{8}$ " x .020" steel bands:

	Cross bands	Short length bands
80 coil bedspring.....	4	6
81 coil bedspring.....	3	7
88 coil bedspring.....	5	6
90 coil bedspring.....	4	7

"Stabilizer" means a device fastened to and connecting the border frame to the base frame in a manner adequately to prevent sway.

This amendment shall become effective April 17, 1944.

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JAMES F. BROWNLEE,  
Acting Administrator.

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PART 1394—RATIONING OF FUEL AND FUEL PRODUCTS

[RO 5C,<sup>1</sup> Corr. to Amdt. 2 to Rev. Supp. 1]

MILEAGE RATIONING: GASOLINE REGULATIONS

In § 1394.8401 (a) (1) the text of the last sentence is corrected to read as follows:

Two (2) gallons of gasoline with respect to Class B and C coupons, which do not bear the numeral "2" or a higher numeral on the face of the coupon, in the gasoline shortage area and in Area B except the States of Colorado, Idaho, Montana, Utah and Wyoming.

This correction shall become effective April 15, 1944.

(Pub. Law 671, 76th Cong.; as amended by Pub. Laws 89, 421, 507, 77th Cong.; WPB Dir. No. 1, 7 F.R. 562; Supp. Dir. No. 10, 7 F.R. 9121; E.O. 9125, 7 F.R. 2719)

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Acting Administrator.

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PART 1404—RATIONING OF FOOTWEAR

[RO 6A,<sup>2</sup> Amdt. 9]

MEN'S RUBBER BOOTS AND RUBBER WORK SHOES

A rationale accompanying this amendment, issued simultaneously herewith, has been filed with the Division of the Federal Register.\*

Ration Order 6A is amended in the following respects:

1. Section 2.17 is added to read as follows:

SEC. 2.17 *Manufacturers may apply to National Office for release of certain rubber footwear.* (a) Any manufacturer having rubber footwear of a kind described in paragraph (b) of this section which cannot reasonably be sold for certificates may be authorized by the National Office of the Office of Price Administration to transfer it as non-rationed in accordance with the provisions of this section.

(b) The only kinds of rubber footwear to which this section applies are:

(1) Culls (rubber footwear having manufacturing defects which require repair to make the rubber footwear salable as waterproof footwear or which prevent the sale of the rubber footwear as "seconds" or "factory rejects").

(2) Discontinued styles (rubber footwear remaining in the manufacturer's stock since April 1, 1942, of styles which the War Production Board has prohibited to be manufactured for civilian use).

(3) Government rejects of special styles (rubber footwear manufactured as government order items according to special specifications, not suitable for ordinary civilian use and rejected by the United States Government).

\*Copies may be obtained from the Office of Price Administration.

<sup>1</sup> 8 F.R. 15985, 16252; 9 F.R. 2911.

<sup>2</sup> 8 F.R. 7384, 9458, 11688, 15704; 9 F.R. 604.

(4) Government rejects of large sizes (rubber footwear of size 13 and larger, manufactured as government order items and rejected by the United States Government).

(c) Application shall be made in writing to the Rubber Footwear Branch, Miscellaneous Products Rationing Division, Office of Price Administration, Washington 25, D. C. The application need not be made on any prescribed form but must include three copies of a list of the rubber footwear proposed to be transferred as non-rationed, stating the following detailed information:

(1) With respect to culls, the type, quantity, and the nature of the defects.

(2) With respect to discontinued styles, the type, style, quantity, sizes, and a statement that they have remained in the manufacturer's stock since April 1, 1942.

(3) With respect to government rejects of special styles, the type, style, quantity, and a statement that they were manufactured as government order items according to special specifications and rejected by the United States Government, and the reasons they are not suitable for ordinary civilian use.

(4) With respect to government rejects of large sizes, the type, quantity, sizes, and a statement that they were manufactured as government order items and rejected by the United States Government.

(d) Only one application may be made for the release of discontinued styles described in paragraph (b) (2) of this section.

(e) The National Office, if it approves the application in whole or in part, shall indicate its approval in writing and shall attach thereto a copy of the list of rubber footwear submitted by the manufacturer on which it shall indicate the specific rubber footwear authorized to be transferred as non-rationed. The National Office shall issue to the applicant official Non-Rationed Stickers (OPA Form R-123 with the words "Non-Rationed Rubber Footwear" and the type number printed or stamped thereon) equal to the number of pairs of rubber footwear permitted to be transferred as non-rationed. The National Office (or the manufacturer if required by the National Office) shall write or print on each sticker the registration number of the manufacturing establishment to which it is issued.

(f) Before any of such rubber footwear may be transferred or offered for sale as non-rationed, the manufacturer shall attach to one boot of each pair an official non-rationed sticker supplied by the National Office. Such sticker may be affixed only to rubber footwear specifically released by the National Office and only to rubber footwear of the same type as that designated on the sticker.

(g) Rubber footwear to which official stickers have been affixed in accordance with this section may be transferred as non-rationed by and to any person at any time thereafter.

(h) The manufacturer shall attach to his inventory form (OPA Form R-501A) the written approval of the National Office together with the list of rubber footwear authorized to be transferred as

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non-rationed. This shall be in lieu of any reporting requirement of section 2.2 (c).

2. Section 3.8 (d) is added to read as follows:

(d) Certificates may not be given, demanded or received for non-rationed rubber footwear nor may it be exchanged for rationed rubber footwear or a certificate pursuant to section 1.13 or section 3.7.

This amendment shall become effective April 15, 1944.

(Pub. Law 671, 76th Cong. as amended by Pub. Laws 89, 421, and 507, 77th Cong.; WPB Dir. 1, 7 F.R. 562, Supp. Dir. 1-N, 7 F.R. 7730; E.O. 9250, 7 F.R. 7871)

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## PART 1404—RATIONING OF FOOTWEAR

[RO 17,<sup>1</sup> Amdt. 57]

## SHOES

A rationale accompanying this amendment, issued simultaneously herewith, has been filed with the Division of the Federal Register.\*

Ration Order 17 is amended in the following respects:

1. Section 1.8 is amended to read as follows:

**SEC. 1.8 How certificates may be used.** A person who, at any time, receives or has received a certificate (OPA Form R-1705A or Form R-1705B) in a way permitted by this order may use it any time after its date of issue to get the number of pairs of shoes of the type permitted by the certificate.

(Certificates that had expired before April 15, 1944, are validated by this provision). If issued to a consumer, a certificate may be used only by or for the consumer to whom it was issued. If it is sent by a consumer with a mail order, the shoes may be delivered only to the name and address written on the certificate.

2. Section 2.9 (a) is amended by deleting the first three sentences of the paragraph and substituting instead the following: "A stamp may not be deposited to an establishment's account later than 30 days after its expiration for consumer use. A ration check may be deposited at any time. A certificate (OPA Form R-1705A or 1705B), regardless of when issued, may be deposited at any time and shall be valid for consumer use at any time after its date of issue. (This includes certificates that had expired before April 15, 1944.)"

This amendment shall become effective April 15, 1944.

(Pub. Law 671, 76th Cong. as amended by Pub. Laws 89, 421 and 507 77th Cong.;

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<sup>1</sup> 8 F.R. 15834, 16605, 16996; 9 F.R. 92, 573.

WPB Dir. 1, 7 F.R. 562, Supp. Dir. 1-T, 8 F.R. 1727, 8 F.R. 7440; E.O. 9125, 7 F.R. 2719)

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## PART 1407—RATIONING OF FOOD AND FOOD PRODUCTS

[Rev. RO 3,<sup>1</sup> Amdt. 9]

## SUGAR

A rationale accompanying this amendment, issued simultaneously herewith, has been filed with the Division of the Federal Register.\*

Revised Ration Order 3 is amended in the following respect:

1. Section 1407.141 (c) is amended to read as follows:

(c) A certificate may be used at any time by the person to whom it is issued, if he is not a depositor nor required to be one, to take delivery of sugar. A certificate duly transferred by endorsement to a registering unit that is neither a depositor nor required to be one, may be used at any time by such registering unit to take delivery of sugar. A certificate issued or duly transferred to a depositor is valid for deposit in his account at any time. However, a certificate which expired before January 1, 1944, may not be transferred or deposited and does not authorize a delivery of sugar. (Any certificate expiring on or after that date is revalidated by this paragraph.)

This amendment shall become effective April 15, 1944.

(Pub. Law 421, 77th Cong.; E.O. 9125, 7 F.R. 2719; E.O. 9280, 7 F.R. 10179; WPB Dir. No. 1 and Supp. Dir. No. 1E, 7 F.R. 562, 2965; Food Dir. No. 3, 8 F.R. 2005; Food Dir. 8, 8 F.R. 7093)

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## PART 1407—RATIONING OF FOOD AND FOOD PRODUCTS

[Rev. RO 13,<sup>2</sup> Amdt. 24]

## PROCESSED FOODS

A rationale for this amendment has been issued simultaneously herewith and has been filed with the Division of the Federal Register.\*

Revised Ration Order 13 is amended in the following respects:

1. The first sentence of the undesignated paragraph following section 2.4 (d) is amended to read as follows: "The

<sup>1</sup> 8 F.R. 13128, 13394, 13980, 14399, 14623,

14845, 15253, 15454, 15524, 16160, 16161, 16260, 16263, 16424, 16527, 16606, 16695, 16739,

16797, 16855, 17326; 9 F.R. 104, 106, 220, 403,

number of points a certificate is worth is shown on that certificate."

2. Section 8.4 (b) is amended to read as follows:

(b) *Certificates and ration coupons.* Any certificate issued on or after October 13, 1943, may be deposited at any time. Ration coupons may be deposited at any time.

3. The headnote to section 8.4 (c) is amended by deleting the words "or certificates" and section 8.4 (c) is amended by deleting the words "or certificate".

4. The second sentence of section 9.4 (f) is deleted.

5. The second sentence of section 9.4 (g) (1) is amended by deleting the words "or certificates".

6. Section 9.5 (d) (2) is amended by deleting the third and fourth sentences.

7. Section 15.1 (b) (3) is amended to read as follows:

(3) The word "after" in the upper right corner shall be changed to "before" and the date inserted there shall be the date of issue.

8. Section 15.2 is amended to read as follows:

**SEC. 15.2 Certificates may be used at any time.** (a) Certificates issued on or after November 2, 1943, may be used at any time for the acquisition of processed foods. A "retailer" who "transferred" processed foods for a certificate may use it to acquire processed foods, if he does not have and is not required to have a ration bank account.

9. The second sentence of section 15.7 (a) is amended to read as follows: "The date inserted in the upper right corner shall be the date of issue."

This amendment shall become effective April 15, 1944.

(Pub. Law 671, 76th Cong., as amended by Pub. Laws 89, 421, 507 and 729, 77th Cong.; E.O. 9125, 7 F.R. 2719; E.O. 9280, 7 F.R. 10179; WPB Directive 1, 7 F.R. 562; Food Directive 3, 8 F.R. 2005, and Food Directive 5, 8 F.R. 2251)

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## PART 1407—RATIONING OF FOOD AND FOOD PRODUCTS

[RO 16,<sup>1</sup> Amdt. 127]

## MEAT, FATS, FISH AND CHEESES

A rationale for this amendment has been issued simultaneously herewith and has been filed with the Division of the Federal Register.\*

Ration Order 16 is amended in the following respects:

1. The third sentence of section 2.3 (d) is amended to read as follows: "the

<sup>1</sup> 8 F.R. 1433, 1534, 2233, 2826, 2828, 3031.

<sup>2</sup> 9 F.R. 3, 104, 574, 695, 848, 1397, 1727, 1817,

1908, 2233, 2234, 2240.

number of points a certificate is worth is shown on that certificate."

2. Section 9.4 (b) is amended to read as follows:

(b) *Certificates and ration coupons.* Any certificate issued on or after October 13, 1943, may be deposited at any time. Ration coupons may be deposited at any time.

3. The headnote to section 9.4 (c) is amended by deleting the words "or certificates" and section 9.4 (c) is amended by deleting the words "or certificate."

4. The second sentence of section 10.4 (h) is deleted.

5. The second sentence of section 10.4 (i) (1) is amended by deleting the words "or certificates".

6. Section 10.5 (e) (2) is amended by deleting the third and fourth sentences.

7. Section 16.1 (b) (3) is amended to read as follows:

(3) The word "after" in the upper right corner shall be changed to "before" and the date inserted there shall be the date of issue.

8. Section 16.2 is amended to read as follows:

SEC. 16.2 *Certificates may be used at any time.* (a) Certificates issued on or after November 2, 1943, may be used at any time for the acquisition of foods covered by this order. A "retailer" who "transferred" foods covered by this order for a certificate may use it to acquire such foods, if he does not have and is not required to have a ration bank account.

11. The second sentence of section 16.7 (a) is amended to read as follows: "The date inserted in the upper right corner shall be the date of issue."

This amendment shall become effective April 15, 1944.

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PART 1418—TERRITORIES AND POSSESSIONS  
[MPR 373;<sup>1</sup> Amdt. 48]

LUGGAGE IN TERRITORY OF HAWAII

A statement of the considerations involved in the issuance of this amendment, issued simultaneously herewith, has been filed with the Division of the Federal Register.\*

Maximum Price Regulation No. 373 is amended in the following respect:

Section 64 is added to read as follows:

SEC. 64. *Ceiling prices for sales of imported luggage at wholesale and retail—(a) Scope of this section.* This section

applies to sales at wholesale and sales at retail of all leather and non-leather luggage which has been imported into the Territory of Hawaii. "Luggage" means any container commonly used for the transportation of personal effects on a journey; for example, furlough bags, zipper bags, utility kits, utility bags and cases, travel cases, buddy kits, overnight cases, travel packs, duffel bags, weekend cases, Pullman cases, men's wardrobes, foot lockers, suitcases and trunks. In addition, the term "luggage" includes physician's bags, sample cases, sample trunks, brief cases and school bags. Furthermore, the term "luggage" as used in this section includes only new luggage; used or reconditioned luggage is not covered by this section.

(b) *Wholesaler's ceiling prices.* If you are a wholesaler, you calculate your ceiling prices for luggage in the following manner:

(1) For out of stock sales: First, multiply your manufacturer's or original importer's selling price by 1.25. Then to this amount add your landing costs. The resulting price is your ceiling price.

(2) For sales on a drop shipment basis: Multiply your manufacturer's or original importer's selling price by 1.17. The resulting price is your ceiling price.

(3) For sales of luggage purchased from a local wholesaler: If you purchased a luggage item from another local wholesaler whose ceiling price is established under subparagraphs (1) and (2) above, you must secure a written record of your supplier's ceiling price. Your ceiling price shall be your supplier's ceiling price.

(c) *Retailer's ceiling prices.* If you are a retailer, you calculate your ceiling prices in the following manner:

(1) For sales of articles purchased directly from your mainland manufacturer or original importer: First: multiply your manufacturer's or original importer's selling price by 1.87. To this amount add your landing cost and the Federal excise tax, and adjust to the nearest 5¢. The resulting price is your ceiling price, inclusive of Federal excise tax.

(2) For sales of articles purchased directly from mainland wholesalers: First, multiply your wholesaler's selling price by 1.58. To this amount add your landing cost and the Federal excise tax and adjust to the nearest 5¢. The resulting price is your ceiling price, inclusive of Federal excise tax.

(3) For sales of articles purchased from local wholesalers out of locally warehoused stock: First, multiply the wholesaler's selling price, less the landing cost, by 1.50. To this amount add the landing cost and the Federal excise tax, and adjust to the nearest 5¢. The resulting price is your ceiling price, inclusive of Federal excise tax.

(4) For sales of articles purchased from local wholesalers on a drop ship-

ment basis: First, multiply your manufacturer's or original importer's selling price by 1.87. To this amount add your landing cost and the Federal excise tax, and adjust to the nearest 5¢. The resulting price is your ceiling price, inclusive of Federal excise tax.

(d) *Inability to determine ceiling prices.* If you are unable to determine your ceiling price of any luggage item, you shall apply to the Office of Price Administration for the establishment of a ceiling price.

(e) *Landing cost—(1) Landing cost for articles imported from the mainland.* Landing cost, in the case of articles imported from the mainland, shall be the total of the following amounts:

(i) An amount equal to the transportation charges, if any, actually incurred by the purchaser for transportation from the mainland point at which the purchaser received delivery to the mainland port of shipment (including Federal transportation tax and terminal charges) not in excess of public (common or contract) carrier rates.

(ii) An amount equal to mainland storage charges and insurance in connection therewith actually incurred by the purchaser. The charges for storage and insurance in connection therewith in excess of three months shall not be included.

(iii) An amount equal to cartage charges actually incurred by the purchaser for cartage from warehouse to dock in port of shipment, not in excess of public (common or contract) carrier rates.

(iv) An amount equal to charges for ocean freight, War Risk and Marine insurance actually incurred by the purchaser, and there may be included in this amount Territorial tolls and tonnage tax as shown on the bill of lading. However, the amount by which any cost of War Risk insurance exceeds the rates charged by the War Shipping Administration shall not be included, but the type of coverage is at the discretion of the buyer and seller.

(v) An amount equal to cartage charges in the port of entry in the Territory of Hawaii from dock to the establishment of the purchaser, computed at a rate not in excess of \$1.20 per ton weight or measurement; *Provided*, That the commodity is moved from a dock at the purchaser's expense.

(2) *Landing cost in cases of inter-island shipments.* In cases where the article has been shipped from one island to another island in the Territory of Hawaii, the following additional charges may be added to those set forth in subparagraph (1), above:

(i) An amount equal to the actual transportation cost to be computed in accordance with the applicable provisions of divisions (iii), (iv) and (v), above.

(f) *Posting and marking of prices—(1) Posting.* On and after the effective date of this section, any person who sells or offers to sell any luggage item at retail shall post in a conspicuous place in a manner plainly visible to and understandable by the purchasing public in a department or portion of his premises

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<sup>1</sup>8 F.R. 5388, 6359, 6849, 7200, 7457, 8064, 8550, 10270, 10666, 10984, 11247, 11437, 11849, 12299, 12703, 13023, 13342, 13500, 14139, 14305, 14688, 15253, 15369, 15851, 15852, 15862, 16866, 16997, 17201; 9 F.R. 173, 393.

where such article is sold or offered for sale, a sign stating, "Each article of luggage in this store (or on this counter, shelf, or in this case, bin or rack) is marked and sold at our ceiling price or less."

(2) *Marking.* On and after the effective date of this section, every person who sells or offers for sale any luggage item at retail shall attach to the top or handle of the item a tag containing in easily readable lettering a statement of the retail ceiling price, retail selling price and the manufacturer's lot number and size. The statement shall be in the following form:

O. P. A. retail ceiling price including federal excise tax \_\_\_\_\_  
Selling price \_\_\_\_\_  
Stock or lot number \_\_\_\_\_  
Size \_\_\_\_\_  
Do not detach

The tag may not be removed until after the luggage has been delivered to the consumer.

Section 10 (b) of Maximum Price Regulation No. 373 shall not apply to this section.

(g) *Records and invoices.* In addition to such records as the seller is required to keep under section 10 (a) (1) of this regulation, every person making a sale of a luggage item other than at retail shall furnish the buyer at the time of the delivery of the article with a written invoice or sales memorandum, setting forth the date of sale, the name and address of the buyer and seller, quantity and description of article sold, manufacturer's lot number and size, the amount of the "landing-cost" for each article if paid by the seller, the price charged and received therefor, and the retailer's ceiling price, inclusive of excise tax, for each article as calculated under paragraph (c).

(h) *Definitions.* When used in this section, the term:

(1) "Manufacturer's selling price" means the price at which the manufacturer of the article sold and invoiced it f. o. b. factory, less all allowable discounts and allowances except cash discounts up to 8%, and before the addition of any premium or other charge permitted under the Second Revised Maximum Export Price Regulation.<sup>2</sup>

(2) "Original importer's selling price" means the price at which the mainland original importer of the article from outside continental United States sold and invoiced it, less all discounts and allowances except cash discounts up to 8%, and before the addition of any premium or other charge permitted under the Second Revised Maximum Export Price Regulation.

(3) "Wholesaler's selling price" means the price appearing on the wholesaler's invoice to the retailer, less all allowable discounts and allowances except cash discounts up to 2%, and before the addition of any premium or other charges permitted under the Second Revised Maximum Export Regulation.

(4) "Out of stock sales" means sales of articles which the seller carries in

stock, sells out of stock and which were invoiced and shipped to the establishment of the seller.

(5) "Sales on a drop shipment basis" means sales of articles which the seller does not carry in stock, which are not sold out of stock and which are not shipped to the establishment of the seller.

This amendment shall become effective as of April 1, 1944.

NOTE: The reporting and record-keeping requirements of this amendment have been approved by the Bureau of the Budget, in accordance with the Federal Reports Act of 1942.

(56 Stat. 23, 765; Pub. Laws 151, 78th Cong.; E.O. 9250, F.R. 7871, E.O. 9328, 8 F.R. 4681)

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#### PART 1420—BREWERY, DISTILLERY, AND WINERY PRODUCTS

[MPR 259, as Amended, Corr. to Amdt. 4<sup>1</sup>]

##### DOMESTIC MALT BEVERAGES

In Table 2 of § 1420.63 (c) the specified permitted increase of "13 cents" per case of 24 12-ounce bottles is corrected to read "15 cents".

In subparagraph (2) of § 1420.66 (c) the specified permitted increase of "13 cents" per case of 12 24-ounce bottles is corrected to read "15 cents".

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#### PART 1432—RATIONING OF CONSUMERS' DURABLE GOODS

[RO 9A:<sup>2</sup> Amdt. 8]

##### STOVES

A rationale for this amendment has been issued simultaneously herewith and has been filed with the Division of the Federal Register.\*

Ration Order 9A is amended in the following respects:

1. Section 1.2 (a) is amended to read as follows:

(a) There are eight "types" of equipment covered by this order: heating stoves of three fuel types: (1) coal or wood heating stoves, (2) oil heating stoves (including those using kerosene or gasoline as a fuel), (3) gas heating stoves; cooking stoves of the same three fuel types: (4) coal or wood cooking stoves, (5) oil cooking stoves (including

\*Copies may be obtained from the Office of Price Administration.

<sup>1</sup>9 F.R. 3392.

<sup>2</sup>8 F.R. 11564, 12749, 13060, 14049, 15254; 9 F.R. 92, 348, 908, 3234.

those using kerosene or gasoline as a fuel), (6) gas cooking stoves, (7) "combination stoves"; and (8) conversion burners. Whenever the word "stove" is used in this order, without referring to any particular type, all eight types are being referred to.

2. Section 1.3 (a) is amended by substituting for the last sentence the following: "Persons who sell stoves replenish their stocks by giving up to the persons from whom they acquire stoves, certificates which they get from their customers or from their boards."

3. Section 3.5 (a) (1) is amended to read as follows:

(1) In computing registered inventory, cooking stoves using coal and gas, or oil and gas, are treated as gas cooking stoves. Combination heating and cooking stoves are treated as gas cooking stoves. Conversion burners may not be included in registered inventory.

4. Section 3.6 (a) (1) is amended to read as follows:

(1) In computing his report of sales, cooking stoves using coal and gas, or oil and gas, are treated as gas cooking stoves. Combination cooking and heating stoves are treated as gas cooking stoves.

5. Section 3.7 (a) is amended to read as follows:

(a) *General*—(1) *Business started before January 1, 1943.* Every dealer or distributor is entitled to an operating inventory, called an "allowable inventory", for each establishment if stocks of stoves were kept at the establishment (or its predecessor) during either 1941 or 1942. The allowable inventory will cover each type of stove transferred in either year except that combination stoves will be included in the allowable inventory for gas cooking stoves.

(2) *Business started after January 1, 1943.* If a business was started on or after January 1, 1943 (but before July 1, 1943), and stocks of stoves were kept, the establishment is entitled to an allowable inventory covering each type of stove which was transferred except that combination stoves will be included in the allowable inventory for gas cooking stoves.

(3) *Business started after July 1, 1943.* If a business was started on or after July 1, 1943, the allowable inventory, if any, is determined under section 9.3.

(4) *Application under section 3.8 where particular type inventory not allowed.* If a dealer or distributor is not entitled to any allowable inventory for a particular type or types of stove, he may apply for relief under section 3.8.

6. Section 5.1 (b) is amended by deleting the parenthetical sentence "(Where a certificate is issued for a combination stove, it must so state.)"

7. Section 6.2 (a) is amended to read as follows:

(a) Stoves covered by this order may be transferred and "acquired" only if the transferee gives up to the seller or transferor "certificates" for the number and "type" of stoves transferred. (If the stove to be transferred to a "consumer" is a "combination stove," only a com-

bination stove designed to use the fuel for heating specified on the certificate may be transferred to him.) However, if the stove is transferred to any "person" other than a consumer, the transferee may give up a combination stove certificate for a "gas cooking stove" or a gas cooking stove certificate for a combination stove. The certificates must be given up at the time stated in the next section. They must be endorsed on the back by the person to whom issued and by each person who later uses them to acquire stoves, or by someone authorized to sign for him.

8. Section 13.1 (a) (17) is amended by renumbering (vii) as (viii) and by inserting a new subdivision (vii) as follows:

(vii) A combination stove which is a combination heating and cooking stove, designed as a two-part stove to use gas in the cooking burners and coal or wood, or oil or gas in the heating burners; and,

9. Section 13.1 (a) (17) is further amended by deleting the phrase "a combination heating and cooking stove," in the undesignated paragraph following the subparagraph.

10. Section 13.1 (a) (19) is amended by changing the word "seven" to the word "eight".

This amendment shall become effective April 15, 1944.

(Pub. Law 671, 76th Cong., as amended by Pub. Laws 89, 421, 507 and 729, 77th Cong.; E.O. 9125, 7 F.R. 2719; WPB Dir. 1, 7 F.R. 562, and Supp. Dir. 1-8, 8 F.R. 6018)

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PART 1351—FOOD AND FOOD PRODUCTS

[MPR 289,<sup>1</sup> Amdt. 31]

DAIRY PRODUCTS

A statement of the considerations involved in the issuance of this amendment, issued simultaneously herewith, has been filed with the Division of the Federal Register.\*

Maximum Price Regulation No. 289 is amended in the following respect:

Section 1351.1526 (b) is amended to read as follows:

(b) *Sales by or through brokers, jobbers and other persons, in bulk or bulk packed.* (1) The maximum prices on sales of condensed milk products, in bulk and bulk packed, by or through brokers, jobbers and other persons to any class of purchasers shall not exceed the maxi-

\*Copies may be obtained from the Office of Price Administration.

<sup>1</sup> 7 F.R. 10996; 8 F.R. 490, 1458, 1885, 1972, 3252, 3327, 4335, 4337, 4338, 4513, 4918, 6440, 7566, 7593, 8276, 8751, 9330, 9229, 10667, 11245, 15327, 15428, 15455, 16524, 16842, 16836; 9 F.R. 2135, 2289.

mum prices set forth in paragraph (a) for processors, except that,

(i) In the case of a jobber, as defined in subdivision (iv), who resold condensed milk products, in bulk or bulk packed, before April 28, 1942, his maximum price (f. o. b. his place of business) shall be the appropriate price set forth in paragraph (a) f. o. b. processor's plant, plus the actual transportation charge and actual icing charge, if any, to the jobber's place of business plus the appropriate markup (in cents per liquid pound) as follows:

	Cents
Plain condensed skim milk	3/8
Super-heated condensed skim milk	3/8
Plain condensed milk:	
When sold in original container	3/8
When repacked by jobber and sold in lots of less than 50 pounds	1/2
Super-heated condensed milk	3/8
Sweetened condensed skim milk	3/10
Sweetened condensed milk	3/10
Miscellaneous condensed product	3/10

(ii) In the case of a jobber, as defined in subdivision (iv), who did not resell condensed milk products, in bulk or bulk packed, before April 28, 1942, his maximum price (f. o. b. his place of business) shall be the appropriate price set forth in paragraph (a) f. o. b. processor's plant, plus the actual transportation charge and actual icing charge, if any, to the jobber's place of business.

(iii) In the event a sale is made on a delivered basis by a jobber, as defined in subdivision (iv), his maximum price shall be increased by the cost of transportation (exclusive of icing cost, if any) from the jobber's place of business to the buyer's customary receiving point computed in the same manner as delivery charges by a processor are computed in paragraph (a) (4).

(iv) The term "jobber" as used in subdivision (i) (ii) and (iii) above means and is limited to a person who purchases from a processor all bulk condensed milk products he sells (for his own account) and customarily receives shipment, in large or carload lots, at a warehouse owned or leased and maintained by him and not owned or controlled by any processor of condensed milk products or by any of the jobber's customers and whose daily sale to any customer of any of the bulk condensed milk products listed in subdivision (i) above, does not exceed 1,350 pounds.

(v) "Jobber's place of business" means the place where the jobber's warehouse described in subdivision (iv) above, is located.

This amendment shall become effective April 17, 1944.

(56 Stat. 23, 765; Pub. Law 151, 78th Cong.; E.O. 9250, 7 F.R. 7871; E.O. 9328, 8 F.R. 4681)

Issued this 12th day of April 1944.

CHESTER BOWLES,  
Administrator.

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PART 1407—RATIONING OF FOOD AND FOOD PRODUCTS

[Rev. RO 13,<sup>1</sup> Amdt. 23]

PROCESSED FOODS

A rationale for this amendment has been issued simultaneously herewith and has been filed with the Division of the Federal Register.\*

Revised Ration Order 13 is amended in the following respects:

1. Section 1.2 (b) is added to read as follows:

(b) Any item included in the definition of processed foods but having no point value assigned to it on the Official Table of Point Values, is deemed to have a point value of zero.

2. Appendix A is amended by striking the following items from the list:

Dry blackeye peas (otherwise known as dry blackeye beans)  
Garbanzo beans

3. Appendix A is amended by adding, to the item "dry cow peas" the following parenthetical phrase: "(other than blackeye peas)".

This amendment shall become effective April 17, 1944.

(Pub. Law 671, 76th Cong., as amended by Pub. Laws 89, 421, 507 and 729, 77th Cong.; E.O. 9125, 7 F.R. 2719; E.O. 9280, 7 F.R. 10179; WPB Directive 1, 7 F.R. 562; Food Directive 3, 8 F.R. 2005, and Food Directive 5, 8 F.R. 2251)

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Acting Administrator.

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PART 1418—TERRITORIES AND POSSESSIONS

[MPR 373,<sup>2</sup> Amdt. 47]

GROCERY ITEMS IN HAWAII

A statement of the considerations involved in the issuance of this amendment, issued simultaneously herewith, has been filed with the Division of the Federal Register.\*

Section 41 of Maximum Price Regulation No. 373 is amended in the following respects:

1. Paragraph (e) (2) (ii) is amended by adding the following sentence: "If the retailer is located on the Island of Lanai, no transportation allowance for freight or cartage may be included in 'net cost', as defined above."

2. Paragraph (f) (3) is amended by adding the following sentences: "Malted

<sup>1</sup> 9 F.R. 3, 104, 574, 695, 765, 848, 1397, 1727, 1817, 1908, 2233, 2234, 2240.

<sup>2</sup> 8 F.R. 5388, 6359, 6849, 7200, 7457, 8064, 8550, 10270, 10666, 10984, 11247, 11437, 11849, 12299, 12703, 13023, 13342, 13500, 14139, 14305, 14688, 15253, 15369, 15851, 15852, 15862, 16866, 16997, 17201; 9 F.R. 173, 393.

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milk (both chocolate and plain) when sold in grocery stores, shall be considered a beverage concentrate. Malted milk tablets are not covered by this section."

3. Paragraph (f) (10) is amended to read as follows:

(10) "Starches, edible", means any edible starches such as corn or potato starch.

4. Paragraph (f) (23) is amended by deleting the last sentence and inserting therefor the following sentence: "This category does not include butter, cheese, powdered skim milk and fresh milk."

5. Paragraph (f) (28) is amended to read as follows:

(28) "Pet foods" means all kinds of pet foods, packaged, bulk, canned or dry, and "pet supplies" includes, but is not limited to, such supplies as cuttle bone and gravel. Pet supplies sold in pet shops are not covered by this section.

6. Table A (b) (3) is amended by deleting the categories set forth therein for plain ovaltine and inserting the following categories to read as follows:

	Ceiling price per unit
Ovaltine, plain, 14 oz.	\$.82
Ovaltine, plain, 6 oz.	.43
Ovaltine, chocolate, 16 oz.	.82
Ovaltine, chocolate, 8 oz.	.43

7. Table A (b) (5) (i) is amended by deleting the description of the category "Tens, Assorted Kellogg" and inserting therefor the following description "Kellogg's, Assorted V-12."

8. Table A (b) (7) is amended by changing the caption, the prices of certain items, and the sentence contained at the end thereof, all to read as follows:

MUSTARD, VINEGAR, SOY, CATSUP, TOMATO SAUCE OR PASTE AND MISO		Ceiling price per unit
Catsup:		
Sunstrand, 14 oz.		\$.18
Soya Sauce:		
Kikkoman, 1 gal.		5.14
Vinegar:		
Heinz Tarragon, 1 pt.		.35
Heinz Malt, 1 pt.		.23

For all other mustard, vinegar, soy, catsup, tomato sauce or paste and miso, the division factor is .80.

9. Table A (b) (10) is amended by changing the caption to read "Starch, edible" and the sentence contained at the end thereof to read: "For all other edible starches, such as corn or potato, the division factor is .80."

10. Table A (b) (13) is amended to read as follows:

(13) *Dessert preparations.* For all other dessert preparations, specifically fruit cake packaged or tinned, and puddings, the division factor is .75.

11. Table A (b) (14) is amended to read as follows:

(14) *Flour, baker's and family.*

	Ceiling price per unit
Flour, family, 4.9 lbs.	\$.33
Flour, family, 49 lbs.	2.74
Flour, family, 5 lbs.	.34
Flour, family, 50 lbs.	2.80

For all other baker's and family flour the maximum price shall be determined by multiplying the invoice cost by 1.2.

12. Table A (b) (17b) is amended by changing the prices of two items and adding one item to read as follows:

	Ceiling price per unit
Fruit cocktail:	
Exquisite, 16 oz.	\$.22
Stokely, 16 oz.	.22
Oranges:	
Mandarin, 11 oz.	\$.13
	2 for \$.025

13. Table A (b) (18) is amended by adding the words "FSCC only" to the last item.

14. Table A (b) (19) is amended by changing the prices of certain items and adding certain items to read as follows:

	Ceiling price per unit
Apricot nectar:	
Heart's Delight, 12 oz.	\$.012

Orange juice:

	Ceiling price per unit
Absopure, 12 oz.	.21

Papaia:

	Ceiling price per unit
Haley's Papaia Nectar, No. 2 can	.17

Tomato juice:

	Ceiling price per unit
All brands, No. 2 can	.18

	Ceiling price per unit
All brands, 2½ can	.18

	Ceiling price per unit
All brands, 13½ oz.	.10

	Ceiling price per unit
All brands, 47 oz.	.31

	Ceiling price per unit
All brands, 8 oz.	.07

15. Table A (b) (22a) is amended by deleting the category "Deviled Ham, Underwood, 3 oz." and substituting the following two items:

	Ceiling price per unit
Deviled Ham, Underwood, 3 oz. tin	\$.022
Deviled Ham, Underwood, 3 oz. glass	.24

16. Table A (b) (23) is amended by changing the price of Evaporated Milk, one 14½ oz. can from "12 cents" to "12½ cents".

17. Table A (b) (27) is amended by changing the price of one item and adding one item to read as follows:

	Ceiling price per unit
Eagle Brand:	
Round Fancy Maruba Noodles, 8 oz.	\$.015

	Ceiling price per unit
Canton Poppy Noodles, 14 oz.	.15

18. Table A (b) (28) is amended by changing the caption to read "Pet Food and Supplies" and the sentence contained at the end thereof to read: "For all other pet foods and other pet supplies, the division factor is .80."

19. Table A (b) (31) is amended by changing one item to read as follows:

	Ceiling price per unit
Skippy Creamy Peanut Butter, 1½ lb. glass	\$.67

20. Table A (b) (32) is amended to read as follows:

(32) Rice (pounds)	US No. 1	US No. 2	US No. 3 and Brown	US No. 4	US No. 5
100	\$8.85	\$8.70	\$8.60	\$8.17	\$8.30
50	4.50	4.40	4.35	4.14	4.25
25	2.35	2.22	2.20	2.08	2.15
10	.96	.90	.89	.86	.88
2	.19				
1	.10	.10	.09	.09	.09

For all other rice the maximum price shall be determined by multiplying the invoice cost by 1.2.

21. Table A (b) (34) (ii) is amended by changing the caption to read: "Oysters, barracuda, codfish, codfish cakes, fish flakes, squid and dried or shredded seafood" and by changing the sentence at the end thereof to read: "For all other oysters, barracuda, codfish, codfish cakes, fish flakes, squid and dried or shredded seafood, the division factor is .80."

22. Table A (b) (37) is amended by changing three items to read as follows:

	Ceiling price per unit
Old style	
Campbell's Soups:	
Pea, No. 1	\$.14½ can
Asparagus, No. 1	.14½ can
Bean with Bacon, No. 1	.14½ can

23. Table A (b) (41) is amended by deleting the category reading "Granulated White Sugar All Brands, bagged or bulk" and substituting therefor the following:

	Ceiling price per unit
Granulated white sugar, 100 lbs	\$.60
Granulated white sugar, 25 lbs	1.70
Granulated white sugar, 10 lbs	.69
Granulated white sugar, 5 lbs	.35
Granulated white sugar, 1 lb	.07

24. Table A (b) (42) is amended by changing one item to read as follows:

	Ceiling price per unit
Syrups:	
Log Cabin, 24 oz. glass	\$.07

25. Table A (b) (44) is amended by changing two items to read as follows:

	Ceiling price per unit
Asparagus:	
Rialto, All, No. 2 can	\$.038
Sauerkraut:	
Champion, Qt. glass	.26

26. The table following Table B (b) is amended to read as follows:

Definition No. (see par. (1))	Commodity	Size	Ceil- ing price
5	Carnation Wheat Flakes, Premium	48 oz.	\$0.47
5	Sperry Wheat Hearts	14 oz.	.18
7	Yolo Tomato Catsup	14 oz.	.19
7	Yolo Tomato Catsup	12 oz.	.17
7	French's Prepared Mus- tard	6 oz.	.12
7	King's Shoyu	1 gal.	1.96
7	King's Shoyu	27 oz.	.43
7	King's Shoyu	11 oz.	.29
7	B. B. Shoyu	1 gal.	1.42
8	Kitchen Bouquet	4 oz. cont.	.51
12	Sunstrand Catsup	15 oz.	.16
17	V-B Apple Sauce	No. 2 can	.15
17	S & W Apple Sauce	No. 2 can	.21
17	Gale Compte Pears	32 oz.	.31
19	Absopure Orange Juice	12 oz.	.18
20	Durkee French Dressing	8 oz.	.20
22	FSCC Dried Beef	7 oz.	.48
22	V-B Sheep Tongue	No. 1 can	.39
22	V-B Sheep Tongue	No. ½ can	.23
22	Swift's Pork Brains	12 oz.	.25
24	Planters Peanuts	5 oz.	.19
28	Albers Friskies	2 lb.	.33
28	Albers Friskies	12 oz.	.11
34	Tuna, Blue Sea Fancy White Meat	No. ½ can	.49

Definition No. (see par. (f))	Commodity	Size	Ceiling price
34	Tuna, All White Solid Pack.	No. ½ can.	\$0.48
34	Tuna, Halfhill Light Meat.	No. ½ can.	.43
34	Tuna, Luxury grated.	No. ½ can.	.40
34	Sea View Barracuda.	6 oz.	.40
34	Oysters, High Sea or Mississippi Miss.	7 oz.	.42
35	NuBora Granulated Soap.	Giant Size.	.78
35	NuBora Granulated Soap.	Large Size.	.30
41	Sugar, granulated white, bulk.	1 lb.	.07
41	Sugar, granulated white, bagged.	10 lbs.	.72
41	Sugar, granulated white, bagged.	5 lbs.	.37
42	Karo Red Label Syrup.	24 oz. glass.	.23
42	Karo Red Label Syrup.	24 oz. tin.	.20
44	Hearts Delight Asparagus.	No. 2 can.	.38
44	Del Monte Diced Beets.	No. 303 glass.	.18
44	Del Monte Sliced Beets.	No. 303 glass.	.20

27. The table following Table C (b) is amended to read as follows:

Definition No. (see par. (f))	Commodity	Size	Ceiling price
5	Albers Quick Oats and Regular, with premium.	48 oz.	\$0.48
5	Albers Wheat Flakes, with premium.	48 oz.	.48
5	Sperry Wheat Hearts.	14 oz.	.18
7	CHB Catsup.	14 oz.	.22
7	CHB Soya.	32 oz.	.55
7	Jan-U-Win 6 Star Soya.	1 gal.	2.11
7	Paradise Soya.	1 gal.	1.73
7	Paradise Soya.	1 qt.	.47
7	Paia Shoyu.	1 gal.	2.19
7	Pain Shoyu.	1 qt.	.36
7	Mau Shoyu.	1 gal.	2.11
7	King Shoyu.	1 gal.	1.96
7	King Shoyu.	27 oz.	.43
7	King Shoyu.	11 oz.	.29
7	Heinz Malt Vinegar.	1 pt.	.28
7	Heinz Tarragon Vinegar.	1 pt.	.40
12	Jello.	3 oz.	.09
12	Royal Puddings.	3½ oz.	3 for .25
15	Sperry Cornmeal (all types).	16 oz.	3 for .25
17	Libby Fruit Cocktail.	No. 2½ can.	.37
17	S & W Fruit Cocktail.	No. 2½ can.	.43
17	Mandarin Oranges.	11 oz.	.14
19	Martinelli Apple Juice.	32 oz.	.30
19	Martinelli Apple Juice.	12 oz.	.13
19	Olmite Grapefruit Juice.	No. 2 can.	.20
19	Absopure Orange Juice.	12 oz.	.20
19	Libby's Orange Juice.	12 oz.	.18
21	Lynden Twisted Noodle Dinner.	16 oz.	.19
21	Lynden Minced Chicken.	4 oz.	.46
21	Lynden Boned Turkey.	8 oz.	1.04
21	Lynden Chicken a la King.	16 oz.	.50
22	FSCC Dried Beef.	7 oz.	.48
22	Underwood Deviled Ham.	3 oz.	.17
22	"V.-B." Sheep Tongue.	No. ½ tin.	.25
22	Armour's Star Lunch Tongue.	No. ½ tin.	.22
27	Fontana Paste Products.	8 oz. pkg.	.11
27	Royal Spaghetti and Macaroni.	8 oz. pkg.	.10
31	Mary Ellen Orange Marmalade.	2 lbs.	.47
34	Bolero Cuban Rock Lobster.	5½ oz.	.67
35	Oxydol.	Giant.	.88
40	Clorox.	1 qt.	.21
40	Sapolio.	Cake.	.12
42	Log Cabin Syrup.	24 oz. glass.	.48
44	T & M Asparagus Tips.	1 Tall.	.28
44	Libby Pumpkin.	2½ glass.	.21
44	Tru-Hawaiian Maui Soy Beans with Pork.	7 oz.	.12

28. The table following Table D (b) is amended to read as follows:

Definition No. (see par. (f))	Commodity	Size	Ceiling price
5	Cream O'Wheat.	28 oz.	\$0.33
5	Quaker Oats, regular.	48 oz.	.47
5	Mother's China Oats.	48 oz.	.48
7	Radcliffe Shoyu.	1 gal.	2.29
7	Radcliffe Shoyu.	1 qt.	.73
7	King Shoyu.	1 gal.	1.96
7	King Shoyu.	27 oz.	.43
7	King Shoyu.	11 oz.	.29
8	A-1 Sauce.	11 oz.	.64
12	Jello.	3 oz.	.09
12	Royal Gelatin.	3½ oz.	.09
16	Gold Medal Softasilk Cake Flour.	44 oz.	.37
17	Mandarin Oranges.	11 oz.	.14
19	MacComber's Apple Juice.	32 oz.	.32
19	MacComber's Orange Juice.	12 oz.	.14
19	Absopure Orange Juice.	12 oz.	.17
19	Libby Orange Juice.	12 oz.	.18
20	Durkee Mayonnaise.	8 oz.	.23
20	Dinner Bell Salad Dressing.	16 oz.	.29
22	FSCC Dried Beef.	7 oz.	.48
34	Halfhills Horse Mackeral Oysters, Clipper, High Seas and Mississippi Miss.	No. 1 can.	.21
41	Sugar, white granulated, bulk.	100 lbs.	6.91
41	Sugar, white granulated, bulk.	2 lbs.	.15
41	Sugar, white granulated, bulk.	1 lb.	.08
41	Sugar, white granulated, bagged.	10 lbs.	.72
41	Sugar, white granulated, bulk.	5 lbs.	.37
41	Hawaiian washed sugar.	100 lbs.	5.70
41	Hawaiian washed sugar.	1 lb.	.06
42	Ewa Cane Syrup.	24 oz.	.35

29. The table following Table E (b) is amended to read as follows:

Definition No. (see par. (f))	Commodity	Size	Ceiling price
5	Albers Quick Oats and Regular, without premium.	48 oz.	\$0.40
14	Flour, family.	5 lbs.	.33
14	Flour, family.	50 lbs.	2.75
22	Dried Beef, FSCC.	7 oz.	.47
22	Pork Luncheon Meat, FSCC; Prem, Treet, all brands.	12 oz.	.42
23	Evaporated Milk.	No. 1 can.	.13
23	Evaporated Milk.	2 cans.	.24
23	Evaporated Milk.	12 cans.	1.47
		U. S. No. 3 and brown	U. S. No. 4
			U. S. No. 5
32	Rice:		
	100 lbs.	\$8.53	\$8.15
	50 lbs.	4.28	4.19
	25 lbs.	2.15	2.12
	10 lbs.	.88	.80
	1 lb.	.09	.09
		Size	Ceiling price

30. Table F is amended to read as follows:

TABLE F—MAXIMUM PRICES FOR THE ISLAND OF LANAI

(a) This table shall apply to the Island of Lanai only.

(b) The specific dollars and cents ceiling prices listed in Table A for the Island of Oahu shall apply to the Island of Lanai. To these prices may be added the differentials permitted by paragraph (d) below.

(c) In all cases where specific dollar and cent ceiling price is not provided in Table A, the maximum price shall be computed by means of the "net cost" as defined in paragraph (e) of this section 41, and the appropriate division factor or multiplication factor named in Table A. No transportation costs from the Islands of Oahu or Maui to the Island of Lanai shall be included in "net cost". To the prices thus computed may be added the differentials permitted by paragraph (d) below.

(d) All retail grocery stores on the Island of Lanai may add 2% to the maximum retail sales prices listed or computed in accordance with this Table. This addition must be made as a separate computation at the time of payment. Prior to the addition of the 2% differential, stores shall obtain and prominently display the poster issued by the Office of Price Administration stating the right of the store to this differential.

This amendment shall become effective as of March 15, 1944.

CHESTER BOWLES,  
Administrator.

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PART 1418—TERRITORIES AND POSSESSIONS

[RMPR 183; Amdt. 31]

GROCERY ITEMS IN PUERTO RICO

A statement of the considerations involved in the issuance of this amendment, issued simultaneously herewith, has been filed with the Division of the Federal Register.\*

Revised Maximum Price Regulation 183 is amended in the following respects:

1. Section 17 (a) (1) is amended by changing the word "resells" to read "sells."

2. Section 20, Table 3 is amended by adding new items and changing the prices of certain items to read as follows:

\*Copies may be obtained from the Office of Price Administration.

<sup>1</sup> 8 F.R. 9532, 10763, 10906, 11437, 11847, 12549, 10937, 12632, 13165, 13847, 14090, 14765, 15195.

## 7. Section 24, Table 9 is amended by adding new items to read as follows:

Items and brand names	Unit in cases	Price to wholesaler	Retail price (per unit)
Cherries, Royal Ann White Rose	6/#10 tins.....	\$7.55	\$1.80
Figs, Kadota Fancy F & P	48/#1 tins.....	\$7.80	\$1.23
Fruit Cocktail	7.80	\$8.30	
Hunt's Supreme	7.30	8.35	
Libby	4.20	4.75	
Peaches, fancy sliced Elberta Star	4.20	4.75	
Peaches, yellow cling Certified (checkers)	7.75	8.30	
Peaches, halves, Libby	5.20	5.70	
Peaches, sliced, standard	5.80	6.65	
Libby	3.55	4.05	
Val-Vita	5.10	5.85	
24/#2 1/2 glass.....			
24/#2 1/2 can.....			
24/#2 1/2 can.....			

## 3. Section 20, Table 3a is amended by adding new categories as follows:

Items and brand names	Unit in cases	Price to wholesaler	Retail price (per unit)
Peach Jam:			
Del Monte	24/1# jars.....	\$6.25	\$6.00
Del Monte	12/2# jars.....	4.85	5.55
Plum Jam:	24/1# jars.....	5.45	6.25
Del Monte	12/2# jars.....	5.05	5.80
Del Monte	6/5# tin.....	4.70	5.40
Raspberry Jam:	24/1# jar.....	7.95	9.00
Del Monte			

## 4. Section 21, Table 4 is amended by adding a new item and changing the price of one item to read as follows:

Items and brand names	Unit in cases	Price to wholesaler	Retail price (per unit)
Pear nectar, fancy; Pacific Gold	48/12 ounce tins.....	\$4.55	\$0.14 or <sup>2</sup> for 27¢
Pear Juice; Libby	24/12 ounce bottles.....	3.40	.30

## 5. Section 22, Table 6a is amended by adding new items to read as follows:

Items and brand names	Unit in cases	Price to wholesaler	Retail price (per unit)
Deviled ham:			
Libby	24/4	\$3.45	\$0.19
Lunch tongue:	24/4	4.70	5.10
Libby	9/6 tins.....	Pound	Pound
Armour Spiced Ham		.45	.47

## 6. Section 24, Table 8 is amended by adding new items and changing the prices of certain items to read as follows:

Items and brand names	Unit in cases	Price to wholesaler	Retail price (per unit)
Cetchup; Libby	24/14 ounce bottle.....	\$3.85	\$4.40
Pure; Gibbs	48/10 1/2 ounce.....	3.00	\$0.24
Sauce:			
Del Monte	72/8 ounce tins.....	4.10	4.60
Hunt's Supreme	72/8 ounce tins.....	3.85	4.45
Libby	72/8 ounce tins.....	3.60	4.10
Val-Vita	24/12 ounce.....	5.15	5.80

Items and brand names	Unit	Unit in cases	Price to wholesaler	Retail price (per unit)
Tomato juice; Hunt's Supreme	24/18 ounce tins.....		\$2.60	\$3.00
Tomato juice, fancy; Pacific Gold	24/#2 tins.....		2.60	
Asparagus; Libby	24/#2 tins.....		\$7.10	\$8.15
Beans with tomato sauce; Gibbs	24/19 ounce tins.....		3.00	\$0.44
Beans, deep brown:				
Libby	24/14 ounce tins.....		2.75	.17
Libby	24/17 ounce glass.....		3.75	.23
Beans, stringless; Libby	24/2 tins.....		3.65	.20
Beets, diced; Del Monte	12/#303 glass.....		1.95	.24
Beets, sliced:				
Libby	24/#2 tins.....		2.95	.18
Del Monte	24/2 tins.....		3.70	.25
Beets, whole:				
Libby	24/303 glass.....		3.20	.27
Carrots; Del Monte	24/#2 tins.....		2.35	.19
Corn, Squat Home Style Golden Sweet (Libby)	24/2 tins.....		2.00	.25
Corn:				
Niblets	24/12 ounce tins.....		3.00	.18
Mexican Niblets; Libby	24/12 ounce tins.....		3.60	.20
Lima beans, garden; Libby	24/2 tins.....		4.15	.23
Mixed vegetables; Libby	24/2 tins.....		3.90	.24
Peas; Green Giant	24/303 glass.....		4.50	.22
Peas, sweet ungraded; Garden Patch	24/20 ounce.....		4.00	.25
Peas, No 2 Silver Alaska; Le Saut Pearl	24/17 ounce.....		4.55	.27
Peas, Medium Small No. 2 April Showers.	24/17 ounce.....		3.95	.23

Items and brand names	Unit	Unit in cases	Price to wholesaler	Retail price (per unit)
Asparagus; Libby	24/19 ounce tins.....		3.75	.17
Beans with tomato sauce; Gibbs	24/17 ounce glass.....		3.65	.23
Beans, stringless; Libby	24/2 tins.....		1.95	.24
Beets, sliced:				
Libby	24/14 ounce tins.....		2.75	.17
Del Monte	24/17 ounce glass.....		3.75	.23
Beets, whole:				
Libby	24/2 tins.....		2.95	.18
Carrots; Del Monte	24/2 tins.....		3.70	.25
Corn, Squat Home Style Golden Sweet (Libby)	24/2 tins.....		2.35	.19
Corn:				
Niblets	24/12 ounce tins.....		3.00	.18
Mexican Niblets; Libby	24/12 ounce tins.....		3.60	.20
Lima beans, garden; Libby	24/2 tins.....		4.15	.23
Mixed vegetables; Libby	24/2 tins.....		3.90	.24
Peas; Green Giant	24/303 glass.....		4.50	.22
Peas, sweet ungraded; Garden Patch	24/20 ounce.....		4.00	.25
Peas, No 2 Silver Alaska; Le Saut Pearl	24/17 ounce.....		4.55	.27
Peas, Medium Small No. 2 April Showers.	24/17 ounce.....		3.95	.23

Items and brand names	Unit	Unit in cases	Price to wholesaler	Retail price (per unit)
Asparagus; Libby	24/19 ounce tins.....		3.75	.17
Beans with tomato sauce; Gibbs	24/17 ounce glass.....		3.65	.23
Beans, stringless; Libby	24/2 tins.....		1.95	.24
Beets, sliced:				
Libby	24/14 ounce tins.....		2.75	.17
Del Monte	24/17 ounce glass.....		3.75	.23
Beets, whole:				
Libby	24/2 tins.....		2.95	.18
Carrots; Del Monte	24/2 tins.....		3.70	.25
Corn, Squat Home Style Golden Sweet (Libby)	24/2 tins.....		2.35	.19
Corn:				
Niblets	24/12 ounce tins.....		3.00	.18
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Lima beans, garden; Libby	24/2 tins.....		4.15	.23
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Beets, sliced:				
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Mixed vegetables; Libby	24/2 tins.....		3.90	.24
Peas; Green Giant	24/303 glass.....		4.50	.22
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Del Monte	24/17 ounce glass.....		3.75	.23
Beets, whole:				
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Corn:				
Niblets	24/12 ounce tins.....		3.00	.18
Mexican Niblets; Libby	24/12 ounce tins.....		3.60	.20
Lima beans, garden; Libby	24/2 tins.....		4.15	.23
Mixed vegetables; Libby	24/2 tins.....		3.90	.24
Peas; Green Giant	24/303 glass.....		4.50	.22
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Peas, No 2 Silver Alaska; Le Saut Pearl	24/17 ounce.....		4.55	.27
Peas, Medium Small No. 2 April Showers.	24/17 ounce.....		3.95	.23

<sup>1</sup> Or 2 for 35 cents.

<sup>2</sup> Per dozen packages or 5 cents per package.

<sup>3</sup> Per tin or 1 cent per cracker.

10. Section 32, Table 18 is amended by changing the prices of one item to read as follows:

	Sales to whole- salers (price per pound)	Sales at retail (price per pound)
Shortening, hydrogen- ated Bulk.....	\$0.175	\$0.19

11. Section 32, Table 18a is amended by adding new items to read as follows:

Brand	Container size and unit	To whole- salers	At retail (per unit)
Olive oils:			
Raumberio.....	Cins. 24/6 ounce tins.....	\$8.40	\$10.00
Raumberio.....	Cins. 24/8 ounce tins.....	11.90	12.50
Raumberio.....	Cins. 12/16 ounce tins.....	11.75	12.65
Vegetable oils: San Genaro.....	Cins. 6/1 gallon tins.....	12.00	13.20

12. Section 33a, Table 19a is amended by adding a new item to read as follows:

Items and brand names	Unit	Price to wholesaler	Price at wholesale	Retail price (per unit)
Cohoe salmon.....	Ctins. 48/4# tins.....	\$12.50	\$13.75	\$0.37

13. Section 36, Table 21 is amended to read as follows:

TABLE 21.—MAXIMUM PRICES FOR WHEAT FLOUR

Item and brand name	Price to whole- salers (price per pound)	Prices at whole- salers (price per pound)	Retail price per pound)
All types of hard and soft wheat flour.....	\$0.038	\$0.042	\$0.06

14. Section 36, Table 23 is amended by adding new items to read as follows:

Items and brand names	Unit (contains).....	Price to wholesaler	Price at wholesale	Retail price (per unit)
General Mills:				
Purity Oats.....	12/4 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> oz. packages.....	\$3.00	\$3.40	\$0.37
Purity Oats.....	24/20 oz. packages.....	3.25	3.70	.30
Gold Medal: Oats	24/14 oz. packages.....	3.25	3.65	.19
Mother Hubbard: Golden Center Toasted: Wheat (Germ.....)	12/14# packages.....	3.15	3.50	.37
Pillsbury:				
Sno-Sheen Cake Flour.....	100# net cots.....	6.50	6.50	.39
Sno-Sheen Cake Flour.....	12/29 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> oz. package.....	3.45	3.80	.22
Pillsbury: Pancake Flour.....	18/14 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> oz. package.....	2.95	3.25	.18
Pillsbury: Pancake Flour.....	24/14 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> oz. package.....	3.00	3.30	.24
Buckwheat Pancake Flour.....	12/3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> oz. package.....	2.10	2.30	.15
Yellow Cornmeal.....	24/11 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> oz. package.....	2.35	2.70	.15

15. Section 39, Table 27 is amended by adding new items to read as follows:

		To whole- salers	At whole- sale	At retail (per unit)
Pure egg noodles, fine:				
El Yunque.....	12/14 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> packages.....	\$2.40	\$2.75	\$0.29
El Yunque.....	24/13 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> packages.....	2.50	2.85	.15
Pure egg noodles, medium:				
El Yunque.....	12/14 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> packages.....	2.40	2.75	.29
El Yunque.....	24/13 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> packages.....	2.50	2.85	.15
Spaghetti (semolina):				
El Yunque.....	24/14 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> packages.....	2.55	2.90	.16
El Yunque.....	48/13 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> packages.....	2.70	3.10	.09
Mezzani:				
El Yunque.....	24/14 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> packages.....	2.60	3.00	.16
El Yunque.....	48/13 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> packages.....	2.80	3.20	.09

16. Section 40, Table 31a is amended by adding new items to read as follows:

		At Whole- sale	At Retail (per unit)
Brand		Brand	

		At Whole- sale	At Retail (per unit)
Avoset light cream, 36 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> pints- Avoset milk mix, 24/cylinders.....		\$10.50	\$0.38

		At Whole- sale	At Retail (per unit)
Malena Durves brand, Ctns. 40/1# package..		\$3.65	\$4.00

		At Whole- sale	At Retail (per unit)
Malena Durves brand, Ctns. 40/1# package..		\$3.65	\$4.00

		At Whole- sale	At Retail (per unit)
Inedible laundry starch.....		\$0.13	\$0.13

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Inedible laundry starch.....		\$0.13	\$0.13

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Inedible laundry starch.....		\$0.13	\$0.13

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Inedible laundry starch.....		\$0.13	\$0.13

		At Whole- sale	At Retail (per unit)
Inedible laundry starch.....		\$0.13	\$0.13

		At Whole- sale	At<br

20. Section 42, Table 33h is added to read as follows:

TABLE 33H—MAXIMUM PRICES FOR CERTAIN BOTTLED OLIVES AND CAPERS

Item and brand names	Unit (case of)—	Price to wholesaler	Price at wholesale	Retail price (per unit)
<b>Olives:</b>				
Silvia Brand:				
Stuffed Manzanilla	24/2 oz.	\$3.05	\$3.35	\$0.18
Stuffed Manzanilla	24/4 1/2 oz.	5.70	6.15	.33
Stuffed Queen	12/14 oz.	7.15	7.75	.84
Stuffed Queen	12/21 oz.	9.85	10.65	1.15
Plain Queen	24/3 oz.	2.80	3.05	.17
Plain Queen	24/8 1/2 oz.	4.70	5.20	.28
Plain Queen	12/14 oz.	4.55	5.00	.53
Plain Queen	12/21 oz.	6.25	6.75	.73
Libby Brand:				
Stuffed Manzanilla	24/5 cyl. 3 oz. net.	4.35	4.80	.26
Queen Olives, thrown	12/32 mason jar (21 oz. net)	6.80	7.35	.80
Rosedale Stuffed Manzanilla, thrown	24/5 oz.	3.95	4.35	.24
Rosedale, Stuffed Manzanilla, thrown	12/12 oz.	4.10	4.50	.48
Iberia Brand: Stuffed Olives	48/3 1/2 oz.	6.50	7.00	.19
Olives and Capers:				
Silvia Brand	24/2 oz.	2.30	2.50	.14
Iberia Brand	48/3 1/2 oz.	5.45	5.90	.16

21. Section 42, Table 33i, is added to read as follows:

TABLE 33I—MAXIMUM PRICES FOR FOOD DRINKS

Item and brand names	Unit	Price to wholesaler	Price at wholesale	Retail price (per unit)
<b>Thompson Chocolate: Malted Milk.</b>				
Ovaltine:	Cs. 12/1# tin.			
Plain (small)	12/6 oz. in glass		3.80	.40
Chocolate (small)	12/8 oz. in glass		3.80	.40
Plain (large)	12/14 oz. in glass		7.10	.75
Chocolate (large)	12/16 oz. in glass		7.10	.75
Chocolate (hospital)	12/3# in glass		22.80	2.40
Cocomalt	24/8 oz. in glass		5.50	.30
Cocomalt	12/16 oz. in glass		4.75	.50
Kresto	Ctns. of 288 pkgs. of 3 envelopes of 15 grams.		19.00	.08

<sup>1</sup> Package of 3 envelopes.

22. Section 43 (b) (13) is amended by adding the municipalities Aibonito after Aguas Buenas; Arroyo after Arecibo; Coamo after Ciales; and Guayama after Guarbo.

23. Section 43 (b) (14) is amended by deleting the municipalities "Aibonito", "Arroyo", "Coamo", and "Guayama".

24. Section 45, Table 37 is amended by adding new items to read as follows:

	Sales to wholesalers (price per pound)	Sales at wholesale (price per pound)	Sales at retail (price per pound)
Pickled pig's feet	\$0.085	\$0.092	\$0.11
Smoked slab bacon (packed 8/12's)		.3090	.42
Smoked slab bacon (packed 12/14's)		.3275	.42
Smoked pork tenderloin		.5140	.66

26. Section 47, Table 39 is amended by adding new items to read as follows:

Item and brand names	Unit	Price to wholesaler	Price at wholesale	Retail price (per unit)
<b>Toilet:</b>				
Lux	250/2 ounce cakes	\$7.40	\$8.14	\$0.04
Ivory medium	100/6 ounce cakes	7.60	8.35	.10
Ivory large	100/10 ounce cakes	12.35	13.60	.17

27. Section 56, Table 46 is amended by adding new items to read as follows:

Item and brand	Size (in cases)	Importer-wholesaler	Retail price (per unit)
Scotch whiskey, special blend:			
Peter Dawson	12/ 4/5 qts.	\$44.00	5.00
American gin: Three Feathers	12/4/5 qts.	21.00	2.45
Table wine: Vino Espumoso Chamart	12/1	29.00	3.40
Champagne, Emperator	12/1	47.00	5.75
Cider:			
La Praviana	12/23 oz. fl.	14.50	1.80
Real Cima	12/23 oz. fl.	14.25	1.75
Vermouth:			
Pagan (sweet)	12/1 qt.	16.25	1.85
Remondini (sweet)	12/1 qt.	16.25	1.85
Suza (dry)	12/1 qt.	18.00	2.10

28. Section 56, Table 48 is amended by adding a new brand to read as follows:

Item and brand	Unit	Price to wholesalers	Price at wholesale	Retail price (per unit)
Monterrey	2 5/11.4 oz. bottles.	\$7.75	\$8.50	\$0.42

29. Section 64, Table 57 is amended by changing the prices to read as follows:

Oats (red or white): *Per 100 lb. bag*  
Sales to wholesalers..... \$3.60  
Sales to other than wholesalers..... 4.00

This amendment shall become effective April 17, 1944.

(56 Stat. 23, 765; Pub. Law 151, 78th Cong.; E.O. 9250, 7 F.R. 7871; E.O. 9328; 8 F.R. 4681)

Issued this 12th day of April 1944.

CHESTER BOWLES,  
Administrator.

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#### PART 1442—CORDAGE

[MPR 340, Amdt. 2]

#### JUTE AND ISTLE YARN, ROVE AND ROPE Correction

In F.R. Doc. 44-4345, appearing at page 3393 of the issue for Wednesday, March 29, 1944, the differentials for carload shipments shown in paragraph (b) of Appendix E should read as follows:

#### Carload Shipments

Zone II—Zone I, l. c. l. price plus 1/4¢  
Zone III—Zone I, l. c. l. price plus 3/4¢  
Zone IV—Zone I, l. c. l. price plus 1¢  
Zone V—Zone I, l. c. l. price plus 1 1/4¢

## PART 1499—COMMODITIES AND SERVICES

[SR 15 to GMPR, Corr. to Amdt. 28<sup>1</sup>]

## OLEOMARGARINE

Section 1499.75 (a) (13) is corrected to read § 1499.75 (a) (15).

Issued this 12th day of April 1944.

CHESTER BOWLES,  
Administrator.

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## PART 1499—COMMODITIES AND SERVICES

[SR 15 to GMPR, Corr. to Amdt. 22<sup>2</sup>]

## PRIVATE BRANDS OF SMOKING TOBACCO

Section 1499.75 (a) (13) is corrected to read § 1499.75 (a) (14).

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CHESTER BOWLES,  
Administrator.

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## TITLE 34—NAVY

## Chapter I—Department of the Navy

PART 1—GENERAL REGULATIONS AFFECTING  
THE PUBLICCOMMERCIAL ADVERTISING; PHOTOGRAPHS OF  
NAVAL SUBJECTS

## Correction

The headings for F.R. Doc. 44-5050, which appears on page 3860 of the issue for Tuesday, April 11, 1944, should read as set forth above.

## Notices

## DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE.

## Office of the Secretary.

[Administrative Order, Amendment]

## LANDS IN STATE OF IDAHO

TRANSFER FROM SOIL CONSERVATION SERVICE  
TO FOREST SERVICE

Transfer of lands in the State of Idaho from the Soil Conservation Service to the Forest Service for administration, protection, and management as lands of the Minidoka National Forest.

Administrative Order of February 4, 1944 (9 F.R. 1538, February 8, 1944) is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

By virtue of and pursuant to the authority vested in the Secretary of Agriculture by Title III of the Bankhead-Jones Farm Tenant Act, and in the War Food Administrator by Executive Order No. 9322, as amended by Executive Order No. 9334, the following described lands within the Southeastern Idaho Project, ID-LU-I, situated within Cassia County, Idaho, comprising approximately 4,497.97 acres within the Minidoka National For-

est shall hereafter be administered by the Forest Service as a part of that national forest as established by proclamation of the President dated November 5, 1906 (34 Stat. 3247) and later modified by Executive Order No. 908 dated July 2, 1908, subject to the laws and the rules and regulations now in effect or hereafter enacted or promulgated governing the occupancy, use, protection and administration of the national forests.

## BOISE MERIDIAN

T. 15 S., R. 29 E.,  
Sec. 26, SE $\frac{1}{4}$  SE $\frac{1}{4}$ , E $\frac{1}{2}$  SW $\frac{1}{4}$  SE $\frac{1}{4}$ ;  
Sec. 35, NE $\frac{1}{4}$  NE $\frac{1}{4}$ , E $\frac{1}{2}$  NW $\frac{1}{4}$  NE $\frac{1}{4}$ ,  
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T. 16 S., R. 29 E.,  
Sec. 7, S $\frac{1}{2}$  S $\frac{1}{2}$ ;  
Sec. 9, S $\frac{1}{2}$ , S $\frac{1}{2}$  N $\frac{1}{2}$ ;  
Sec. 11, S $\frac{1}{2}$ , S $\frac{1}{2}$  N $\frac{1}{2}$ ;  
Secs. 15, 17, 19, 21, 29, inclusive.

CLAUDE R. WICKARD,  
Secretary of Agriculture.  
WILSON COWEN,

Assistant War Food Administrator.

APRIL 8, 1944.

[F. R. Doc. 44-5111; Filed, April 11, 1944;  
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## DEPARTMENT OF LABOR.

## Wage and Hour Division.

## LEARNER EMPLOYMENT CERTIFICATES

## ISSUANCE TO VARIOUS INDUSTRIES

Notice of issuance of special certificates for the employment of learners under the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938.

Notice is hereby given that special certificates authorizing the employment of learners at hourly wages lower than the minimum rate applicable under section 6 of the act are issued under section 14 thereof and § 522.5 (b) of the regulations issued thereunder (August 16, 1940, 5 F.R. 2862) to the employers listed below effective as of the date specified in each listed item below.

The employment of learners under these certificates is limited to the terms and conditions as designated opposite the employer's name. These certificates are issued upon the employers' representations that experienced workers for the learner occupations are not available for employment and that they are actually in need of learners at subminimum rates in order to prevent curtailment of opportunities for employment. The certificates may be cancelled in the manner provided for in the regulations and as indicated on the certificate. Any person aggrieved by the issuance of the certificates may seek a review or reconsideration thereof.

NAME AND ADDRESS OF FIRM, PRODUCT, NUMBER  
OF LEARNERS, LEARNING PERIOD, LEARNER  
WAGE, LEARNER OCCUPATION, EXPIRATION  
DATE

Lisbon Company, Inc., 135 Main Street, Lisbon, New Hampshire; brush handles, brush blocks and special turned and flat shaped items; 11 learners (T); woodworking machine operations, finishing operations, inspecting operations for a learning period of

320 hours at 35 cents per hour; effective April 5, 1944, expiring October 5, 1944.

Susquehanna Glass Company, Alley H, Columbia, Pennsylvania; cutting and decorating glassware; 6 learners (T); glass cutting for a learning period of 520 hours at 35 cents per hour; effective April 10, 1944, expiring December 19, 1944.

Signed at New York, New York, this 8th day of April 1944.

MERLE D. VINCENT,  
Authorized Representative,  
of the Administrator.

[F. R. Doc. 44-5146; Filed, April 11, 1944;  
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## LEARNER EMPLOYMENT CERTIFICATES

## ISSUANCE TO VARIOUS INDUSTRIES

Notice of issuance of special certificates for the employment of learners under the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938.

Notice is hereby given that special certificates authorizing the employment of learners at hourly wage rates lower than the minimum wage rate applicable under section 6 of the act are issued under section 14 thereof, Part 522 of the regulations issued thereunder (August 16, 1940, 5 F.R. 2862, and as amended June 25, 1942, 7 F.R. 4725), and the determination and order or regulation listed below and published in the FEDERAL REGISTER as here stated.

Apparel Learner Regulations, September 7, 1940 (5 F.R. 3591), as amended by Administrative Order March 13, 1943 (8 F.R. 3079).

Single Pants, Shirts and Allied Garments, Women's Apparel, Sportswear, Rainwear, Robes and Leather and Sheep-Lined Garments Divisions of the Apparel Industry, Learner Regulations, July 20, 1942 (7 F.R. 4724), as amended by Administrative Order March 13, 1943 (8 F.R. 3079), and Administrative Order June 7, 1943 (8 F.R. 7390).

Artificial Flowers and Feathers Learner Regulations, October 24, 1940 (5 F.R. 4203).

Folie Findings and Determination of February 20, 1940, as amended by Administrative Order September 20, 1940 (5 F.R. 3748) and as further amended by Administrative Order, March 13, 1943 (8 F.R. 3079).

Hosiery Learner Regulations, September 4, 1940 (5 F.R. 3530), as amended by Administrative Order March 13, 1943 (8 F.R. 3079).

Independent Telephone Learner Regulations, September 27, 1940 (5 F.R. 3829).

Knitted Wear Learner Regulations, October 10, 1940 (5 F.R. 3982), as amended by Administrative Order, March 13, 1943 (8 F.R. 3079).

Millinery Learner Regulations, Custom Made and Popular Priced, August 29, 1940 (5 F.R. 3392, 3393).

Textile Learner Regulations, May 16, 1941 (6 F.R. 2446), as amended by Administrative Order March 13, 1943 (8 F.R. 3079).

Woolen Learner Regulations, October 30, 1940 (5 F.R. 4302).

Notice of Amended Order for the Employment of Learners in the Cigar Manufacturing Industry, July 20, 1941 (6 F.R. 3753).

The employment of learners under these certificates is limited to the terms and conditions therein contained and to the provisions of the applicable determination and order or regulations cited above. The applicable determination and order or regulations, and the effective and expiration dates of the certifi-

<sup>1</sup> 9 F.R. 3653.

<sup>2</sup> 9 F.R. 3460.

cates issued to each employer is listed below. The certificates may be cancelled in the manner provided in the Regulations and as indicated in the certificates. Any person aggrieved by the issuance of any of these certificates may seek a review or reconsideration thereof.

NAME AND ADDRESS OF FIRM, INDUSTRY, PRODUCT, NUMBER OF LEARNERS AND EFFECTIVE DATES.

APPAREL INDUSTRY

Statler Clothing Company, 36 Pleasant Street, Watertown, Massachusetts; men's suits, overcoats and top coats; 5 learners (T); effective April 6, 1944, expiring April 5, 1945.

SINGLE PANTS, SHIRTS, AND ALLIED GARMENTS, WOMEN'S APPAREL, SPORTSWEAR, RAINWEAR, ROBES AND LEATHER AND SHEEP-LINED GARMENTS DIVISIONS OF THE APPAREL INDUSTRY

Aalfs-Baker Manufacturing Company, 1007 Fourth Street, Sioux City, Iowa; work clothing; 10 percent (T); effective April 6, 1944, expiring April 5, 1945.

Co-Ed Garment Company, Main Street, Festus, Missouri; women's washable outer apparel, industrial wear; 10 percent (T); effective April 4, 1944, expiring April 3, 1945.

Goldstein & Levin, 232 Levergood Street, Johnstown, Pennsylvania; house dresses, cotton jackets; 10 percent (T); effective April 7, 1944, expiring April 6, 1945.

Klever Klad Frocks, Inc., 130 East Chestnut Street, Coatesville, Pennsylvania; cotton dresses, suits and house coats; 10 percent (T); effective April 10, 1944, expiring April 9, 1945.

La Follette Shirt Company, La Follette, Tennessee; Army and Navy shirts, civilian sport shirts; 10 percent (T); effective April 10, 1944, expiring April 5, 1945.

Lark Dress Company 5th and Walnut Streets, Shamokin, Pennsylvania; dresses; 10 percent (T); effective April 6, 1944, expiring April 5, 1945.

Phillips-Jones Corporation, Maple Avenue, Barnesboro, Pennsylvania; special khaki Army shirts, men's civilian sport shirts; 10 percent (T); effective April 6, 1944, expiring April 5, 1945.

Phillips-Jones Corporation, Sixth & Ruddle Streets, Coaldale, Pennsylvania; dress shirts; 10 percent (T); effective April 6, 1944, expiring April 5, 1945.

Phillips-Jones Corporation, Sunbury Street, Minersville, Pennsylvania; flannel shirts, O. D. special; 10 percent (T); effective April 6, 1944, expiring April 5, 1945.

Rice-Stix Factory #12, Waterloo, Illinois; ladies' work clothing, women's and children's slack suits; 34 learners (E); effective April 4, 1944, expiring October 3, 1944.

Seamprufe, Inc., 314 Depot Street, Scranton, Pennsylvania; silk and rayon slips; 10 percent (T); effective April 11, 1944, expiring April 10, 1945.

U. P. Dress Manufacturing Company, 119-121 Baraga Avenue, Marquette, Michigan; ready-to-wear dresses; 10 learners (T); effective April 10, 1944, expiring April 9, 1945.

The Undergarment Manufacturing Company, 121 East Main Street, Fort Wayne, Indiana; ladies' and misses' slips and sleeping wear; 5 learners (T); effective April 6, 1944, expiring April 5, 1945.

Waynesboro Garment Company, Waynesboro, Georgia; work clothing; 50 learners (E); effective April 3, 1944, expiring October 2, 1944.

GLOVE INDUSTRY

Aris Gloves, Inc., 28 Woodruff Street, Saranac Lake, New York; knit fabric gloves; 20 learners (E); effective April 3, 1944, expiring October 2, 1944.

Proper Maid Silk Mfg. Co., Inc., 3-5 Yeoman Street, Amsterdam, New York; knit

fabric gloves; 15 learners (AT); effective April 3, 1944, expiring October 2, 1944.

HOSIERY INDUSTRY

Baker-Mebane Hosiery Mills, Inc., Plant No. 2, Depot Street, Boone, North Carolina; seamless hosiery; 80 learners (E); effective April 6, 1944, expiring October 5, 1944.

J. A. Cline & Son, Hildebran, North Carolina; seamless hosiery; 10 percent (AT); effective April 3, 1944, expiring October 2, 1944.

Ellis Hosiery Mills, Hickory, North Carolina; seamless hosiery; 33 learners (AT); effective April 6, 1944, expiring October 5, 1944.

Hickory Knitting Mills, Highland Avenue, Hickory, North Carolina; seamless hosiery; 10 learners (AT); effective April 3, 1944, expiring October 2, 1944.

John-Massey Hosiery Company, Valdese, North Carolina; seamless hosiery; 10 learners (AT); effective April 6, 1944, expiring October 5, 1944.

The Nolde & Horst Company of Tennessee, McMinnville, Tennessee; seamless hosiery; 10 percent (AT); effective April 3, 1944, expiring October 2, 1944.

Pickwick Hosiery Mills, Inc., Corinth, Mississippi; full-fashioned hosiery; 10 percent (AT); effective April 8, 1944, expiring October 7, 1944.

Pocomoke Textiles, Inc., Pocomoke City, Maryland; seamless and full-fashioned hosiery; 5 learners (T); effective April 5, 1944, expiring April 4, 1945.

KNITTED WEAR INDUSTRY

The Vogue Knitting Company, 2nd and Jefferson Streets, Womelsdorf, Pennsylvania; men's, women's and children's knit underwear; 4 learners (T); effective April 5, 1944, expiring April 4, 1945.

Signed at New York, N. Y., this 8th day of April 1944.

MERLE D. VINCENT,  
Authorized Representative  
of the Administrator.

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FEDERAL POWER COMMISSION.

[Project No. 1417]

CENTRAL NEBRASKA PUBLIC POWER AND IRRIGATION DISTRICT

ORDER GRANTING REHEARING

APRIL 4, 1944.

Upon application filed March 16, 1944, by The Central Nebraska Public Power and Irrigation District for rehearing of the Commission's order of February 15, 1944, denying an application for exemption from payment of annual charges due under the license for Project No. 1417 for the calendar year 1942;

The Commission finds that: The licensee should have further opportunity to state completely the grounds upon which it claims exemption from the payment of annual charges due under the license for Project No. 1417 for the calendar year 1942; *It is ordered*, That:

(A) The application for rehearing be and it is hereby granted, and the order of February 15, 1944, requiring the payment of annual charges for the year ended December 31, 1942, in the amount of \$3,922.15 be and it is hereby stayed, pending the final determination of the application for exemption;

(B) A hearing be held on the questions presented at such time and place as may hereafter be fixed by the Commission.

By the Commission.

[SEAL]

LEON M. FUQUAY,  
Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 44-5148; Filed, April 12, 1944;  
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[Docket No. IT-5829]

ARKANSAS POWER & LIGHT CO.

ORDER POSTPONING DATE OF HEARING

APRIL 10, 1944.

It appearing to the Commission that: The hearing heretofore set by Commission's order of March 6, 1944, in the above-entitled matter for April 17, 1944, may conflict with the hearing now being held by the Department of Public Utilities of the State of Arkansas and it is appropriate that the hearing be postponed;

The Commission orders that: The public hearing heretofore ordered to commence on April 17, 1944, at 9:45 a. m. (c. w. t.) in Little Rock, Arkansas, for the purpose of determining the issues raised by the order of June 15, 1943, in this case and the above company's response thereto, be and the same hereby is postponed to commence at the same time on May 17, 1944, in the hearing room of the State of Arkansas Department of Public Utilities, Little Rock, Arkansas.

By the Commission.

[SEAL]

LEON M. FUQUAY,  
Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 44-5149; Filed, April 12, 1944;  
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[Project No. 1256]

LOUP RIVER PUBLIC POWER DISTRICT

ORDER GRANTING REHEARING

APRIL 4, 1944.

Upon application filed March 14, 1944, by Loup River Public Power District for rehearing of the Commission's order of February 15, 1944, denying an application for exemption from payment of annual charges due under the license for Project No. 1256 for the calendar year 1942;

The Commission finds that: The licensee should have further opportunity to state completely the grounds upon which it claims exemption from the payment of annual charges due under the license for Project No. 1256 for the calendar year 1942; *It is ordered*, That:

(A) The application for rehearing be and it is hereby granted, and the order of February 15, 1944, requiring the payment of annual charges for the year ended December 31, 1942, in the amount of \$4,275.78 be and it is hereby stayed, pending the final determination of the application for exemption;

(B) A hearing be held on the questions presented at such time and place as may hereafter be fixed by the Commission.

By the Commission.

[SEAL]

LEON M. FUQUAY,  
Secretary.

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INTERSTATE COMMERCE COMMISSION.

[S.O. 70-A, Special Permit 186]

RECONSIGNMENT AT KANSAS CITY,  
MO.-KANS.

Pursuant to the authority vested in me by paragraph (f) of the first ordering paragraph (§ 95.35, 8 F.R. 14624) of Service Order No. 70-A of October 22, 1943, permission is granted for any common carrier by railroad subject to the Interstate Commerce Act:

To disregard entirely the provisions of Service Order No. 70-A insofar as it applies to the reconsignment at Kansas City, Missouri-Kansas, April 7 or 8, 1944, by C. B. Wilde of car PFE 44149, now on the Rock Island Lines, to unknown destination.

The waybill shall show reference to this special permit.

A copy of this special permit has been served upon the Association of American Railroads, Car Service Division, as agent of the railroads subscribing to the car service and per diem agreement under the terms of that agreement; and notice of this permit shall be given to the general public by depositing a copy in the office of the Secretary of the Commission at Washington, D. C., and by filing it with the Director, Division of the Federal Register.

Issued at Washington, D. C., this 7th day of April 1944.

HOMER C. KING,  
Director,  
Bureau of Service.

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[S. O. 70-A, Special Permit 187]

RECONSIGNMENT OF POTATOES AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.

Pursuant to the authority vested in me by paragraph (f) of the first ordering paragraph (§ 95.35, 8 F.R. 14624) of Service Order No. 70-A of October 22, 1943, permission is granted for any common carrier by railroad subject to the Interstate Commerce Act:

To disregard entirely the provisions of Service Order No. 70-A insofar as it applies to the reconsignment at Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, April 7, 1944, by Smiling Jim Potato Company of car PFE 90862, potatoes, now on the Pennsylvania Produce Terminal (P. R. R.) to Thiel Brothers, Pennsylvania Produce Terminal, Baltimore, Md.

The waybill shall show reference to this special permit.

A copy of this special permit has been served upon the Association of American Railroads, Car Service Division, as agent of the railroads subscribing to the car

service and per diem agreement under the terms of that agreement; and notice of this permit shall be given to the general public by depositing a copy in the office of the Secretary of the Commission at Washington, D. C., and by filing it with the Director, Division of the Federal Register.

Issued at Washington, D. C., this 7th day of April 1944.

HOMER C. KING,  
Director,  
Bureau of Service.

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[S. O. 70-A, Special Permit 188]

RECONSIGNMENT OF LETTUCE AT CHICAGO,  
ILL.

Pursuant to the authority vested in me by paragraph (f) of the first ordering paragraph (§ 95.35, 8 F.R. 14624) of Service Order No. 70-A of October 22, 1943, permission is granted for any common carrier by railroad subject to the Interstate Commerce Act:

To disregard entirely the provisions of Service Order No. 70-A insofar as it applies to the reconsignment at Chicago, Illinois, April 8 or 9, 1944, by Julius Berman Company of car PFE 38796, lettuce, now on the Chicago Produce Terminal to Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

The waybill shall show reference to this special permit.

A copy of this special permit has been served upon the Association of American Railroads, Car Service Division, as agent of the railroads subscribing to the car service and per diem agreement under the terms of that agreement; and notice of this permit shall be given to the general public by depositing a copy in the office of the Secretary of the Commission at Washington, D. C., and by filing it with the Director, Division of the Federal Register.

Issued at Washington, D. C., this 8th day of April 1944.

R. S. BOOTH,  
Acting Director,  
Bureau of Service.

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[S. O. 70-A, Special Permit 189]

RECONSIGNMENT OF CARROTS AT CHICAGO,  
ILL.

Pursuant to the authority vested in me by paragraph (f) of the first ordering paragraph (§ 95.35, 8 F.R. 14624) of Service Order No. 70-A of October 22, 1943, permission is granted for any common carrier by railroad subject to the Interstate Commerce Act:

To disregard entirely the provisions of Service Order No. 70-A insofar as it applies to the reconsignment at Chicago, Illinois, April 8 or 9, 1944, by C. H. Weaver Company of car PFE 73319, carrots, now on the Alton Railroad to Shilling Company at Green Bay, Wisconsin.

The waybill shall show reference to this special permit.

A copy of this special permit has been served upon the Association of American

Railroads, Car Service Division, as agent of the railroads subscribing to the car service and per diem agreement under the terms of that agreement; and notice of this permit shall be given to the general public by depositing a copy in the office of the Secretary of the Commission at Washington, D. C., and by filing it with the Director, Division of the Federal Register.

Issued at Washington, D. C., this 8th day of April 1944.

R. S. BOOTH,  
Acting Director,  
Bureau of Service.

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[S. O. 178, Special Permit 111]

LOADING OF SHORTENING AT ELMHURST  
CORONA, LONG ISLAND, N. Y.

Pursuant to the authority vested in me by paragraph (e) of the first ordering paragraph (§ 95.328, 9 F.R. 542) of Service Order No. 178 of January 11, 1944, permission is granted for any common carrier by railroad subject to the Interstate Commerce Act:

To disregard the provisions of Service Order No. 178 insofar as it applies to the loading of one refrigerator car with shortening by Durkee's Famous Foods at Elmhurst Corona, Long Island, New York, and the movement of the one car so loaded April 7 or 8, 1944, to Columbus, Georgia (Long Island R. R.).

The waybill shall show reference to this special permit.

A copy of this special permit has been served upon the Association of American Railroads, Car Service Division, as agent of the railroads subscribing to the car service and per diem agreement under the terms of that agreement; and notice of this permit shall be given to the general public by depositing a copy in the office of the Secretary of the Commission at Washington, D. C., and by filing it with the Director, Division of the Federal Register.

Issued at Washington, D. C., this 7th day of April 1944.

HOMER C. KING,  
Director,  
Bureau of Service.

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[S. O. 178, Special Permit 112]

LOADING OF LARD AT CHICAGO, ILL.

Pursuant to the authority vested in me by paragraph (e) of the first ordering paragraph (§ 95.328, 9 F.R. 542) of Service Order No. 178 of January 11, 1944, permission is granted for any common carrier by railroad subject to the Interstate Commerce Act:

To disregard the provisions of Service Order No. 178 insofar as it applies to the loading of two refrigerator cars with lard by Agar Packing Company, at Chicago, Illinois, and the movement of the two cars so loaded from that point April 7, 1944, one to Bowling Green, Kentucky (C&I-L-L&N) and one to Louisville, Kentucky (C&I-L).

## FEDERAL REGISTER, Thursday, April 13, 1944

The waybills shall show reference to this special permit.

A copy of this special permit has been served upon the Association of American Railroads, Car Service Division, as agent of the railroads subscribing to the car service and per diem agreement under the terms of that agreement; and notice of this permit shall be given to the general public by depositing a copy in the office of the Secretary of the Commission at Washington, D. C., and by filing it with the Director, Division of the Federal Register.

Issued at Washington, D. C., this 7th day of April 1944.

HOMER C. KING,  
Director,  
Bureau of Service.

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[S. O. 178, Special Permit 113]

LOADING OF SHORTENING AT MEMPHIS,  
TENN.

Pursuant to the authority vested in me by paragraph (e) of the first ordering paragraph (§ 95.328, 9 F.R. 542) of Service Order No. 178 of January 11, 1944, permission is granted for any common carrier by railroad subject to the Interstate Commerce Act:

To disregard the provisions of Service Order No. 178 insofar as it applies to the loading of one refrigerator car with shortening by The Humko Company at Memphis, Tennessee, and the movement of the one car so loaded from that point April 8, 1944, to Minneapolis, Minnesota (I. C.).

The waybill shall show reference to this special permit.

A copy of this special permit has been served upon the Association of American Railroads, Car Service Division, as agent of the railroads subscribing to the car service and per diem agreement under the terms of that agreement; and notice of this permit shall be given to the general public by depositing a copy in the office of the Secretary of the Commission at Washington, D. C., and by filing it with the Director, Division of the Federal Register.

Issued at Washington, D. C., this 7th day of April 1944.

HOMER C. KING,  
Director,  
Bureau of Service.

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[S. O. 178, Special Permit 114]

LOADING OF SHORTENING AT BERKELEY,  
CALIF.

Pursuant to the authority vested in me by paragraph (e) of the first ordering paragraph (§ 95.328, 9 F.R. 542) of Service Order No. 178 of January 11, 1944, permission is granted for any common carrier by railroad subject to the Interstate Commerce Act:

To disregard the provisions of Service Order No. 178 insofar as it applies to the loading of one refrigerator car with shortening

by Durkee's Famous Foods, at Berkeley, California, and the movement of the one refrigerator car so loaded from that point not later than April 10, 1944, to Durkee's Famous Foods, Seattle, Washington (S. N.-W. P. G. N.).

The waybill shall show reference to this special permit.

A copy of this special permit has been served upon the Association of American Railroads, Car Service Division, as agent of the railroads subscribing to the car service and per diem agreement under the terms of that agreement; and notice of this permit shall be given to the general public by depositing a copy in the office of the Secretary of the Commission at Washington, D. C., and by filing it with the Director, Division of the Federal Register.

Issued at Washington, D. C., this 7th day of April 1944.

HOMER C. KING,  
Director,  
Bureau of Service.

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[S. O. 178, Special Permit 115]

LOADING OF LARD AT KANSAS CITY,  
MO.-KANS.

Pursuant to the authority vested in me by paragraph (e) of the first ordering paragraph (§ 95.328, 9 F.R. 542) of Service Order No. 178 of January 11, 1944, permission is granted for any common carrier by railroad subject to the Interstate Commerce Act:

To disregard the provisions of Service Order No. 178 insofar as it applies to the loading of car GARX 67990 with lard by Armour and Company at Kansas City, Missouri-Kansas, and the movement of that car from that point under refrigeration April 8, 1944, to Pikeville, Kentucky (Mo. Pac.).

The waybill shall show reference to this special permit.

A copy of this special permit has been served upon the Association of American Railroads, Car Service Division, as agent of the railroads subscribing to the car service and per diem agreement under the terms of that agreement; and notice of this permit shall be given to the general public by depositing a copy in the office of the Secretary of the Commission at Washington, D. C., and by filing it with the Director, Division of the Federal Register.

Issued at Washington, D. C., this 8th day of April 1944.

R. S. BOOTH,  
Acting Director,  
Bureau of Service.

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OFFICE OF PRICE ADMINISTRATION.

[MPR 120, Order 692]

DE BARDELEBEN COAL CORP., ET AL.

ESTABLISHMENT OF MAXIMUM PRICES AND  
PRICE CLASSIFICATIONS

Order No. 692 under Maximum Price Regulation No. 120. Bituminous coal delivered from mine or preparation plant. Order establishing maximum prices and price classifications.

For the reasons set forth in an accompanying opinion, and in accordance with § 1340.210 (a) (6) of Maximum Price Regulation No. 120, *It is ordered:*

Producers identified herein operate named mines assigned the mine index numbers, the price classifications and the maximum prices, for the indicated uses and shipments as set forth herein. All are in District No. 13. The location of each mine is given by county and state. Each producer is subject to all provisions of Maximum Price Regulation No. 120.

DISTRICT NO. 13

DE BARDELEBEN COAL CORPORATION, 2201 FIRST AVE. N., BIRMINGHAM 3, ALA., EMPIRE #3 (DE BARDELEBEN MINE BLACK CREEK SEAM, MINE INDEX NO. 2011, WALKER COUNTY, ALABAMA

Size group Nos.	1, 2, 3, 4, 5	6, 8, 10	7, 9, 11	12, 14, 15, 16	13, 19, 20, 21	17, 18	22, 29
Rail shipment and railroad fuel-price Group 7	\$5.60	\$5.10	\$5.00	\$4.35	\$4.25	\$4.25	\$4.15
Truck shipment-price Group 1	5.25	4.75	4.55	4.40	4.30	4.15	4.05

DE BARDELEBEN COAL CORPORATION, 2201 FIRST AVE. N., BIRMINGHAM 3, ALA., CORONA MINE #17 (COAL VALLEY, CORONA SEAM, MINE INDEX NO. 2012, WALKER COUNTY, ALA.)

Size group Nos.	1, 2, 3, 4, 5	6, 8, 10	7, 9, 11	12, 14, 15, 16	13, 19, 20, 21	17, 18	22, 23
Rail shipment and railroad fuel-price Group 4	\$4.20	\$4.10	\$4.00	\$4.00	\$3.90	\$3.90	\$3.80
Truck shipment-price Group 5	4.65	4.60	4.50	4.15	4.05	4.10	3.90

BUSY, J. H. c/o HAROLD McDERMOTT, 617 FIRST NATIONAL BANK BLDG., BIRMINGHAM 3, ALA., AMERICA #6 MINE, AMERICA SEAM, MINE INDEX NO. 2010, WALKER COUNTY, ALA., DRIFT MINE

Size group Nos.	1, 2, 3, 4, 5	6, 8, 10	7, 9, 11	12, 14, 15, 16	13, 19, 20, 21	17, 18	22-23
Rail shipment and railroad fuel-price Group 4	\$4.20	\$4.10	\$4.00	\$4.00	\$3.90	\$3.90	\$3.80
Truck shipment-price Group 6	4.30	4.25	4.15	3.95	3.85	4.00	3.80

ALABAMA FUEL & IRON CO., BIRMINGHAM 3, ALABAMA, OVERTON MINE, UPPER NUNNALLY SEAM, MINE INDEX NO. 2008, JEFFERSON COUNTY, ALABAMA, STRIP MINE

Size group Nos.	1, 2, 3, 4, 5	6, 8, 10	7, 9, 11	12, 14, 15, 16	13, 19, 20, 21	17, 18	22, 23
Rail shipment and railroad fuel-price group 1	\$3.50 4.20	\$3.50 4.35	\$3.40 4.15	\$3.45 3.80	\$3.35 3.70	\$3.40 3.75	\$3.30 3.40
Truck shipment-price group 7							

FRANKLIN COAL MINING COMPANY, 806 PROTECTIVE LIFE BLDG., BIRMINGHAM 3, ALABAMA, BACK SLOPE MINE, MARY LEE SEAM, MINE INDEX NO. 2013, WALKER COUNTY, ALABAMA, UNDERGROUND MINE

Size group Nos.	1, 2, 3, 4, 5	6, 8, 10	7, 9, 11	12, 14, 15, 16	13, 19, 20, 21	17, 18	22, 23
Rail shipment and railroad fuel-price group 1	\$3.50 4.20	\$3.50 4.35	\$3.40 4.15	\$3.45 3.80	\$3.35 3.70	\$3.40 3.75	\$3.30 3.40
Truck shipment-price group 7							

This order shall become effective April 12, 1944.

(56 Stat. 23, 765; Pub. Law 151, 78th Cong.; E.O. 9250, 7 F.R. 7871; E.O. 9326, 8 F.R. 4681)

Issued this 11th day of April 1944.

CHESTER BOWLES,  
Administrator.

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[MPR 120, Order 693]

R & R COAL CO., ET AL.

ESTABLISHMENT OF MAXIMUM PRICES AND PRICE CLASSIFICATIONS

Order No. 693 under Maximum Price Regulation No. 120. Bituminous coal delivered from mine or preparation plant. Order establishing maximum prices and price classifications.

For the reasons set forth in an accompany opinion, and in accordance with § 1340.210 (a) (6) of maximum price regulation No. 120, *It is ordered:*

Producers identified herein operate named mines assigned the mine index numbers, the price classifications and the maximum prices, for the indicated uses and shipments as set forth herein. All are in District No. 4. The location of each mine is given by county and State. Each producer is subject to all provisions of Maximum Price Regulation No. 120.

R. & R. COAL COMPANY, R. D. #4, LISBON, OHIO, ENDLY FARM MINE—No. 6 SEAM, MINE INDEX NO. 4003, SUB-DISTRICT 4, COLUMBIANA COUNTY, OHIO, LEETONIA FREIGHT ORIGIN GROUP, STRIP MINE

Size group Nos.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Rail shipment and railroad fuel use	\$3.30	\$3.25	\$3.00	\$2.95	\$2.90	\$2.80	\$2.50	\$2.40	\$2.80	\$2.35	.....	\$2.80
Truck shipment	3.85	3.75	3.60	3.35	3.30	2.95	2.70	2.60	.....	.....	.....	.....

GRANT COLLIERIES, INC., 1212 SWETLAND BLDG., CLEVELAND, OHIO, NEWELL MINE, NO. 6 SEAM, MINE INDEX NO. 4025, SUB-DISTRICT 1, JEFFERSON COUNTY, OHIO, OHIO NO. 8 FREIGHT ORIGIN GROUP—STRIP MINE

Size group Nos.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Rail shipment	\$3.10	\$3.05	\$2.75	\$2.75	\$2.70	\$2.60	\$2.25	\$2.25	\$2.60	\$2.10	.....	\$2.60
Railroad fuel	2.75	2.75	2.75	2.75	2.75	2.60	2.20	2.20	2.35	2.20	.....	2.60
Truck shipment	3.60	3.50	3.35	3.10	3.05	2.80	2.55	2.45	.....	.....	.....	.....

C. & R. COAL COMPANY, BOX 136, NEW WATERFORD, OHIO, C. & R. COAL CO., MINE, NO. 6 SEAM, MINE INDEX NO. 4030, SUB-DISTRICT 4, COLUMBIANA COUNTY, OHIO, STRIP MINE

Size group Nos.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Truck shipment	\$3.85	\$3.75	\$3.60	\$3.35	\$3.30	\$2.95	\$2.70	\$2.60

This order shall become effective April 12, 1944.

(56 Stat. 23, 765; Pub. Law 151, 78th Cong.; E.O. 9250, 7 F.R. 7871; E.O. 9326, 8 F.R. 4681)

Issued this 11th day of April 1944.

CHESTER BOWLES,  
Administrator.

[F. R. Doc. 44-5129; Filed, April 11, 1944, 12:12 p. m.]

[MPR 188, Order 1493]

ANGEL NOVELTY CO.

APPROVAL OF MAXIMUM PRICES

Order No. 1493 under § 1499.158 of Maximum Price Regulation No. 188. Manufacturers' maximum prices for specified building materials and consumers' goods other than apparel. Approval of maximum prices for sales of a kitchen cabinet, Model No. 113 manufactured by Angel Novelty Company.

For the reasons set forth in an opinion issued simultaneously herewith and filed with the Division of the Federal Register, and pursuant to the authority

vested in the Price Administrator by the Emergency Price Control Act of 1942, as amended, and Executive Order Nos. 9250 and 9328, *It is ordered:*

(a) Angel Novelty Company, Fitchburg, Massachusetts, may sell and deliver the kitchen cabinet of its manufacture, Model No. 133, as described in its application at maximum prices no higher than \$18.90 for sales to jobbers and \$22.73 for sales to dealers. These maximum prices are f. o. b. factory and are subject to the seller's customary discounts, allowances, and other price differentials.

(b) Any person other than the Angel Novelty Company may sell to dealers and deliver the kitchen cabinet, Model No. 133 manufactured by Angel Novelty Company, at a maximum price no higher than \$22.73 per unit, f. o. b. shipping point. This maximum price is subject to the seller's customary discounts, allowances and other price differentials.

(c) At the time of or prior to the first invoice to each purchaser for resale, Angel Novelty Company shall notify the purchaser for resale, of the maximum prices and conditions set by this Order No. 1493 for resale by the purchaser. This notice may be given in any convenient form.

(d) This Order No. 1493 may be revoked or amended by the Price Administrator at any time.

This Order No. 1493 shall become effective on the 12th day of April 1944.

Issued this 11th day of April 1944.

CHESTER BOWLES,  
Administrator.

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[MPR 244, Amdt. 6 to Order 16]

LAKEY FOUNDRY AND MACHINE CO.

AUTHORIZATION OF MAXIMUM PRICES

Amendment No. 6 to Order No. 16 under § 1421.157 (a) of Maximum Price Regulation 244. Gray iron castings; Docket No. 3244-102.

For the reasons set forth in the opinion issued simultaneously herewith: *It is hereby ordered*, That Order No. 16 under § 1421.157 (a) of Maximum Price Regulation 244 be, and it hereby is, amended as follows:

1. Paragraph (a) of Order No. 16, as amended, is amended by deleting therefrom the entire last proviso beginning with the words "and provided further," and by substituting in lieu thereof the following proviso:

*And provided further, (1) On and after December 1, 1943, Lakey Foundry and Machine Company, Muskegon, Michigan, is hereby authorized to increase by 15% the maximum prices for gray iron castings hereinbefore provided in this paragraph, and (2) the maximum prices established by this paragraph shall not apply to cylinder blocks, Pattern No. H-324432, and cylinder heads, Pattern No. H-325094, sold to Hudson Motor Car Company or to any other cylinder blocks and cylinder heads sold to said purchaser which may bear different pattern num-*

bers but which are substantially the same within the meaning of Maximum Price Regulation No. 244, as the cylinder blocks and cylinder heads made from said Pattern Nos. H-324432 and H-325094.

2. The undesignated paragraph in paragraph (a) of Order No. 16, as amended, beginning with the words "And it is further ordered," is amended to read as follows:

*And it is further ordered*, That Lakey Foundry and Machine Company, Muskegon, Michigan, shall, within 60 days from April 12, 1944, (1) refund to its purchasers through the making of actual cash payments or the giving of credits, any payments for gray iron castings delivered on and after December 1, 1943, which are in excess of the maximum prices specified in Order No. 16, as amended by this Amendment No. 6, and (2) file a statement with the Iron and Steel Branch of the Office of Price Administration, Washington, D. C., to the effect that, wherever necessary, such refunds have been made.

(56 Stat. 23, 765; Pub. Law 151, 78th Cong.; 7 F.R. 7871; E.O. 9328, 8 F.R. 4681)

Issued and effective this 12th day of April 1944.

CHESTER BOWLES,  
Administrator.

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[Rev. RO 11, Administrative Exception Order 4]

UNITED STATES STEEL CORPORATION OF DELAWARE

AUTHORIZATION OF APPLICATION FOR REGISTRATION

Administrative Exception Order No. 4 under Revised Ration Order 11.<sup>1</sup> Fuel oil rationing regulations.

The United States Steel Corporation of Delaware on behalf of five of its affiliated companies, namely, Carnegie-Illinois Steel Corporation, National Tube Company, American Steel and Wire Company, American Bridge Company, and Oliver Iron Mining Company, has filed an application for an Administrative Exception Order, under General Ration Order 1, permitting them to register as primary suppliers under Revised Ration Order 11 and to operate thereafter as primary suppliers subject to all the provisions of Revised Ration Order 11 affecting or regulating primary suppliers. None of these companies meets the requirements for registration as a primary supplier set forth in Revised Ration Order 11.

<sup>1</sup>9 F.R. 2857.

The following appears from the application: That the five named companies are consuming fuel oil at an aggregate annual rate of 467,073,000 gallons, based on current operating schedules. Each of these companies uses quantities in excess of 1,000,000 gallons annually; each operates four or more plants in which such fuel oil is used; and each purchases fuel oil through a central purchasing office. The large quantities of fuel oil required by the named companies compels them to obtain the product from many suppliers in order to assure an adequate and regular supply. Most of the suppliers are primary suppliers as defined in Revised Ration Order 11. These companies receive their fuel oil supply generally in tank car lots, and since their storage facilities are inadequate for their current fuel oil requirements, shipments are numerous. One plant receives an average of twenty tank cars per day. Fuel oil ration banking is carried on by each of these companies from a central office and ration checks for fuel oil are sent from there to suppliers after the invoices have been received and verified.

In view of the requirements of Revised Ration Order 11, that ration payment must be made at the time of or within 15 days after the fuel oil transfer (or within 15 days in advance), invoices received at the central offices of these companies in the ordinary course of business must, in order to comply with that order, be segregated from thousands of other documents for items purchased, verification expedited, and ration checks issued. It is claimed that despite all efforts on the part of these companies, compliance with these time limitations is extremely difficult and unreasonably burdensome in many instances because of the time interval between the date of shipment and the date the invoice is received at the central office. In support of this claim the application points out that when the supplier and place of delivery are located at points distant from the central office the difficulty of meeting the fifteen day requirement is increased. In addition, diversions of shipments from the plant for which they were originally destined to other units where supplies are dangerously low, or such diversions after shipment on order of the supplier or PAW, make verification of invoices within the 15 day period more difficult.

The granting of such an exception order will not constitute an exception to or waiver of or variance of any provisions setting forth standards of eligibility or need for fuel oil. Nor will the effectiveness or policy of Revised Ration Order 11 be defeated or impaired by permitting the above named companies and all companies similarly situated to register as primary suppliers (in the manner set forth in this exception order) and to operate thereafter as primary suppliers under the ration order.

*It is therefore ordered:*

(a) The five affiliates of the United States Steel Corporation of Delaware, namely, Carnegie-Illinois Steel Corporation, National Tube Company, American Steel and Wire Company, American Bridge Company and Oliver Iron Mining Company, may apply in the manner provided in this exception order, to the Office of Price Administration, Control and Audit Section, Fuel Oil Rationing Branch, Washington (25), D. C., for registration as "primary suppliers." Application shall be made by each on Form OPA R-1116 (Revised) in triplicate.

(b) The Control and Audit Section will assign to each of the above-mentioned companies a primary supplier registration number, and will return the original application to the applicant and a duplicate to the Board having jurisdiction.

(c) Upon receipt of the original application with the primary supplier registration number thereon, registration of the applicant as a primary supplier shall be deemed effected, and the applicant shall thereafter in all respects comply with the applicable provisions of Revised Ration Order 11, and amendments thereto.

This order shall become effective April 12, 1944.

(Pub. Law 671, 76th Cong., as amended by Pub. Laws 89, 507, 421 and 429, 77th Cong.; W.P.B. Dir. 1, 7, F.R. 562; Supp. Dir. 1-0, 7 F.R. 8418; E.O. 9125, 7 F.R. 2719)

Issued this 12th day of April 1944.

BRYAN HOUSTON,  
Deputy Administrator  
in Charge of Rationing.

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## WAR FOOD ADMINISTRATION.

### LIMITATIONS ON SALE, SHIPMENT, AND INVENTORIES OF PROTEIN MEAL AND ON USE OF SOYBEAN PRODUCTS

#### DELEGATION OF AUTHORITY

The authority vested in me by Food Production Order No. 9, Revision No. 3 (8 F.R. 16960), as amended, and the administration of said order and all orders issued thereunder by the Director of Production are hereby delegated to the Chief, Feed and Livestock Branch, Office of Production, War Food Administration.

(FPO 9, Rev. 3, 8 F.R. 16960)

Issued this 11th day of April 1944.

J. B. HUTSON,  
Director of Production.

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